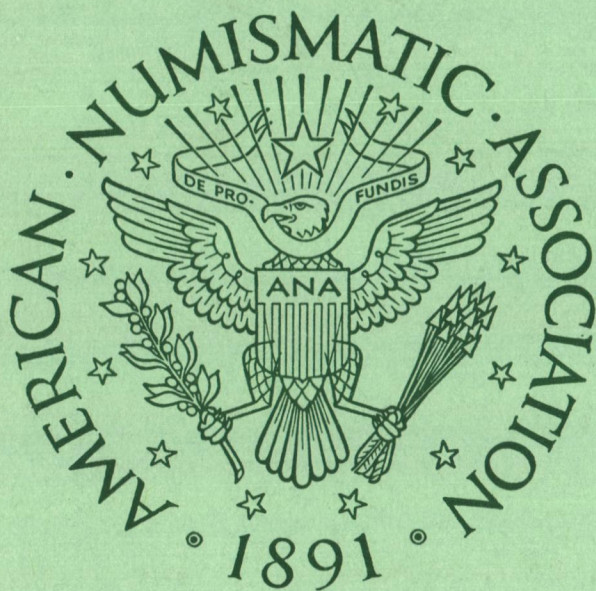


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TENTATIVE LISTING OF HARD RUBBER STORE CARDS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS

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Many collectors have been of great assistance in helping us to prepare this list. First we wish to thank Max Schwartz of New York, who placed his extensive collection of rubber cards and tokens at our disposal. It is he who suggested the method for enumerating many of the die varieties that occur on some of the more extensive issues. Also, James Curto supplied us with lists and descriptions of many pieces, along with Howard Kurth, Stuart Mosher and Richard Kenney, who brought other pieces to our attention. We also wish to thank the Museum of the American Numismatic Society which supplied us with a copy of the *Numismatic Directory for 1884*. We are indebted to Harry Broll who took the photographs for the plates that follow. Our thanks to many other numismatists who have helped in this compilation.

INTRODUCTION

Rubber tokens and cards are apparently a product of American ingenuity. In experimenting to obtain vulcanized rubber about 1855, it was found that when excess sulfur was mixed with the crude rubber and heated to 150°F. a hard, moldable substance was formed. This could take on a high polish and could be molded in manufacture or cut or carved when hard. It has been called at various times *Vulcanite*, *ebonite*, *india rubber*, or simply *hard rubber*. Although the composition has varied from time to time it is still used today in essentially the same form for combs, brushes, electrical equipment, etc. Usually hard rubber, as we prefer to call this product, is black, due to the carbon black that serves as a filler and reinforcing agent. However, it can be made in other colors with some modifications. In 1869, when celluloid was first manufactured in this country, it no doubt was often confused with hard rubber. Probably many of the tokens we refer to as hard rubber, especially those of the lighter pastel colors, are celluloid composition, but for the sake of simplicity we have decided to call all of them hard rubber.

Hard rubber store cards, tokens, and medals have been almost entirely neglected in numismatic literature, but they are looked upon fondly by many token collectors. There is hardly a collector of United States tokens who does not have several of these pieces tucked away in some niche of his cabinet. They are wonderful show pieces, and some of them far surpass in beauty many medallic pieces. But strangely enough, no one but J. M. Tilton, to our knowledge, has ever published any comprehensive listing of only these pieces. In *The Numismatic Directory for 1884*, edited by R. W. Mercer, there appears a list of slightly over two hundred cards, with the names and cities mentioned. This directory is an obscure booklet, and apparently was never used by any of the previous writers on store cards.

Dr. Wright, in the introduction to *American Store or Business*

Cards, says "Shell, wooden and rubber cards are also excluded from this list but may appear later." Unfortunately they never did. Edgar Adams in *United States Store Cards* makes no mention of rubber tokens, and does not list them, except for two that were originally listed by Frank Duffield in his 1907 article, *Baltimore Store Cards*. Malcolm Storer in *Numismatics of Massachusetts* listed quite a few rubber cards of Massachusetts, but seems to have missed several that are in Tilton's listing. In Roland Atwood's *National Check and Premium List of all U. S. Transportation Tokens*, he lists all the rubber cards that are transportation items. The rubber cards (he lists them as *vulcanite or celluloid*) are among the most desirable of the transportation pieces, and all command a good price on today's market. Joseph Barnett in his revision to Hetrich and Guttag's *Civil War Tokens and Store Cards* mentions three rubber tokens that he thought circulated during the Civil War. Although only a few of the hard rubber cards are dated, several of the rubber calendar cards issued in New York were dated 1863. No doubt this was the first year that hard rubber was used in making tokens. It is possible, though unlikely, that some of the smaller tokens circulated, current for one cent or more, during the latter part of the Civil War. Apparently the main efflux of these cards was between 1866 and 1876, but they continued to be used for advertising pieces into the twentieth century. Many of these latter cards are not truly hard rubber, but may be some type of fiber composition with rubber content, and some even pure plastic. Some of these latter pieces are listed, but they are by no means at all complete. No attempt has been made to include all of these plastic cards. (Note: In Storer, *Numismatics of Massachusetts*, about fifty pieces are said to be struck in *composition*. Three or four of these are definitely hard rubber, but the rest might be anything from fiber to odd metal alloys. We are noting, by number only at the end of the listing, those pieces in Storer that fall into this classification that we did not feel justified in including in the list.)

Since this is a tentative listing only, all the tokens are listed by consecutive numbers starting with 1. If the piece occurs in various shades of rubber they are denoted by A, B, etc. Only pieces from different dies are given a separate number. When two pieces from the same die occur in various colors the first is given the letter A in the list, and the second the letter B, and so forth, when necessary.

When the list becomes more complete we hope to republish this tentative listing in pamphlet form and will renumber the pieces by our standard classification system which appeared in *The Numismatist*, September, 1951. Also at that time we will prepare a cross index so that tokens may be found by cities and states in the alphabetical grouping.

All tokens are arranged alphabetically by the name of the issuer. In the case of a business firm or restaurant, etc., when the owner's name appears on the card, it is listed under his name. Otherwise, the card is filed under the business name appearing on the cards. There might be a few exceptions to this rule in the case of transportation tokens, since often the president or treasurer of the older companies included his name on the token. We did not feel justified in filing the token under his name but filed these under the name of the company, as did Mr. Atwood in his comprehensive list.

The abbreviations and references used in the listing are noted below:

Material:

R rubber (includes vulcanite, ebonite and celluloid)
Pl plastic

Color:

b black
c cream
e lemon
g green
h white
l blue
m maroon
o orange
r red
w brown
y yellow

Example of use:

For black hard rubber
the abbreviation is **Rb**

Orange plastic is **Plo**

Other abbreviations used:

Rx. reverse
ob. obverse
l. left
r. right
rec. rectangular
ol. oval
oct. octagonal
sd. solid
ctsp. counterstamped

Size:

All sizes are given in the standard American system of 1/16ths.

References referred to:

- Atwood *Check and Premium List of all U. S. Transportation Tokens*,
Los Angeles, 1948.
- Curto *Indian Post Traders Tokens, The Numismatist*, 1951.
- Curto and *Tentative List of Sutler Tokens and Scrip, Numismatist*
Schwartz reprint, 1946.
- Adams *United States Store Cards*, New York, 1920.
- Duffield *Baltimore Merchant Cards and Tokens, The Numismatist*,
1907.
- H and G *Hetrich and Gutttag Civil War Tokens and Store Cards*,
New York, 1924, as revised by Barnett 1943, 1944 and 1946.
- Levick *Woodward, The Levick Sale*, New York, 1884.
- Storer *Numismatics of Massachusetts*, Boston, 1922.
- H. Storer *Numismatica Medicina*, Boston, 1932.

Since Tilton's list was not alphabetical and was not numbered, we therefore did not refer to him in the listing. Any card listed with incomplete description as to full inscription, size, and composition, with no further reference, may be presumed to have been listed in *Tilton's Rubber Cards, The Numismatic Directory*, 1884.

All matter in capital letters appears on the tokens; where explanatory remarks are made, they appear in lower case letters. On some cards

listed either in Tilton or in The Levick Sale, where further description is not available, merely the name of the issuer appears in capital letters.

The pieces shown on the plates are intended to show some of the designs, varieties, and sizes of these tokens. They are not arranged in any special order or sequence.

RUBBER CARDS AND TOKENS

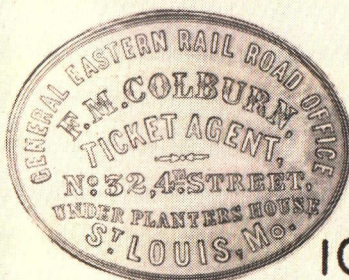
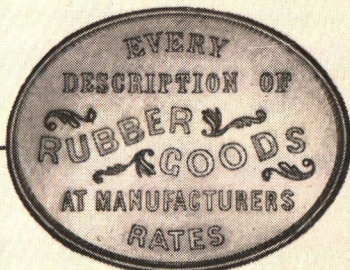
- 1A. A. J. W. & CO., Clothing.
- 1B. Ob. GOOD FOR*/GLASS OF SOADA/.AT./ J. W. ALLENS' Rx. 5, 24mm Vulcanite. (Either Cleveland or Boston). H. Storer 7498.
2. ALLENTOWN TRACTION COMPANY Rx. ONE FARE 5. Ro-14. Atwood Pa 15A.
- 3A. ALLENTOWN PASS. R. W. CO. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE. Rw-15. Atwood Pa. 15B.
- 3B. Same as preceding. Rb-15. Atwood Pa. 15C.
4. AMERICAN HOTEL, Philadelphia, Penna.
5. AMERICAN HOUSE, Boston, Mass.
6. ANGELL, B. D., Shirts, Fort Wayne, Ind.
7. ANGET BROS., Jewelers, Omaha, Neb.
8. ARNOLD, D. S. & Co. 46 PARK PLACE & 41 BARCLAY ST. NEW YORK. Rx. BUY YANKEE NOTIONS OF. Rb. 27½ x 17½.
9. A P SMOKE SHOPE Owosso (Mich.) Rx. GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE Plg-14 x 14.
10. Obverse as above. Rx. GOOD FOR 10¢ IN TRADE Rb-14 x 14.
11. ARRICO, ANTONIO; Rx. 44
12. ATCHISEN STREET R. W. CO. J.R. LOOMIS SUPT. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE Rw-15. Atwood Kan. 40-A.
13. ATLANTA CONSOLIDATED ST. RLY. CO. EMPLOYEE'S PASS Rx. (street car) Rl-15. Atwood Ga. 60-A.
14. ATLANTA CONSOLIDATED ST. RLY. CO. ONE 5 CT. FARE Rx. (street car). Rr-14. Atwood Ga 60 B.
15. ATLANTA CONSOLIDATED ST. RLY. CO. ONE FARE Rx. (street car). Rr-15. Atwood Ga. 60C.
16. ATLANTA RAILWAY & POWER COMPANY EMPLOYEE'S PASS Rx. (street car). Rb-15. Atwood Ga. 60D.
17. ATLANTA RAPID TRANSIT CO. 5¢ FARE Rx. (street car) (Mfg's Name). Rh-15. Atwood Ga. 60E.
18. ATLANTA STREET R. R. CO. 5 Rx. R. PETERS PRES'T ONE 5 FARE Rr-15. Atwood Ga. 60F.
- 19A. AUDITORIUM/ a number/PHARMACY Rx. blank and checkered. 38 x 50 mm Celluloid (Chicago, Ill.). H. Storer 7514.
- 19B. AUGUR & CO., J. P.
20. AUSTIN CITY R. R. CO. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE Rw-15. Atwood Tex. 50A.
21. BAILEY, J. W., Cash House, St. Joe, Mo.
22. BAKELITE CORP. A CENTURY OF PROGRESS 1833-1933 CHICAGO ILL) Uniface Plb-16.
23. BAKELITE CORP. 25th ANNIVERSARY 1910-1935. Rx. THIS BAKELITE MOLDED MEDALLION WAS MADE IN A LAUTERBACH ROTARY AUTOMATIC PRESS USING BERYLLIUM COPPER MOLDS BY GORHAM. Plg-21¼
24. BARLEY, J. M., St. Joseph, Mo. Levick 1641. R-20.
25. BART & HICKCOX, NO. 49 WEST FOURTH ST. CINCINNATI OHIO Rx. DEALERS IN INDIA RUBBER GOODS IMPORTERS OF FANCY GOODS. Rb-20

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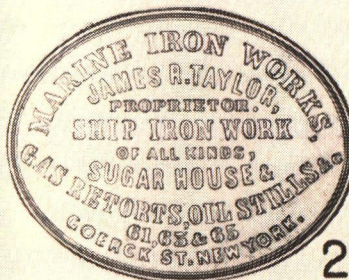
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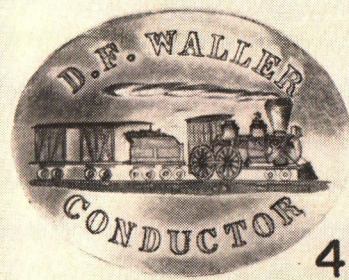
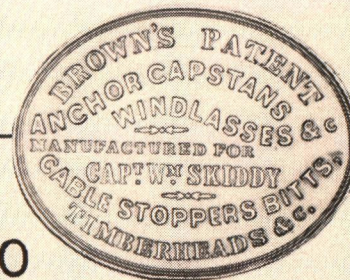
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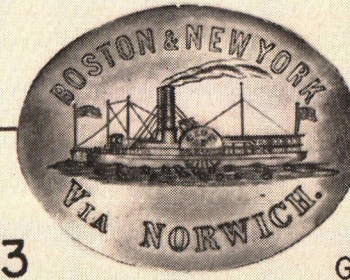
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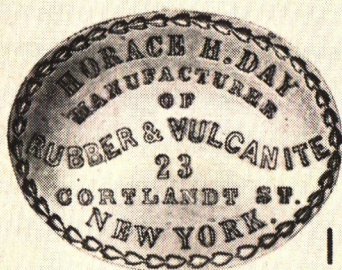
26. BART & HICKCOX. RUBBER GOODS & DRUGGIST SUNDRIES No 96 WEST 4th ST CINCINNATI, O. Rx. EVERY DESCRIPTION OF RUBBER GOODS AT MANUFACTURERS RATES. Rr.ol.28 x 24. Levick Sale 1642.
27. BAUSCH & LOMB OPTICAL CO. ROCHESTER, N. Y. Uniface Plr-8½
28. BEATRICE STREET RAILWAY CO Rx. ONE FARE 5 CENTS Rr-13. Atwood Neb. 120B.
- 29A. BEAVER VALLEY STREET RAILWAY CO. 5. Rx. BEAVER FALLS & NEW BRIGHTON 5 Rr-15. Atwood Pa. 65A.
- 29B. Similar to preceding. Rr-15. Atwood Pa. 65B.
- 30A. BELLS CITY STREET RAILWAY CO Rx. ONE FARE Rb-14. Atwood Wis. (Racine) 700A.
- 30B. Same as preceding. Rv-14. Atwood Wis. 700B.
31. BERKLEY STREET RAILWAY CO. Rx. ONE FARE. Rw-15. Atwood Vir. 110A.
32. Similar to preceding (incuse letters). Rw-14. Atwood Vir. 110B.
33. B. F. & P. C. BRIDGE CO. Rx. (blank). (Broad Ford, Penn.) Rb-20. Atwood Pa. 130A.
34. Same obverse. Rx. 3 CTS. Rb-20. Atwood Pa. 130B.
35. Same obverse. Rx. 5 CTS. Rb-20. Atwood Pa. 130C.
36. Same obverse. Rx. 15 CTS. Rb-20. Atwood Pa. 130D.
37. BIDDLE HOUSE
38. WM. A. BIGLER & CO., JEWELERS No. 90 MADISON ST. TRIBUNE BUILDING CHICAGO, ILL Rx. JEWELRY CHECK ctsp. in white. Nos. 4, 6, 38, 61 have been seen. Rr-18.
39. Same obverse. Rx. WATCH CHECK ctsp. in white. No. 61. Rb-18.
40. BILLARD SALOON BASEMENT, 503 CHESNUT STREET PHILADELPHIA Rx. GOOD FOR A GAME OF BILLARDS Rb-14.
41. BILLIE & CHARLIE, DEALERS IN IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS & ACAJARS AUSTIN TEXAS. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE DRINK AT THE ST. LOUIS SALOON. Rr-18.
42. BLOCK, HATTER AND FURRIER COR. FULTON & NASSAU STS., BENNETT BUILDING, NEW YORK Rx. A calendar for the year 1892. Note: This is a hard rubber flan with the Ob. and Rx. printed on enamel paper, white on black. Rb-24.
43. S. BLOOM PACIFIC HOUSE BUILDING COUNCIL BLUFF IOWA. Rx. CLOTHING, GENTS FURNISHING GOODS HATS, CAPS TRUNKS, VALISES &c. Rb-20.
44. BLOSSBURG COAL CO. ARNOT, PA Rx. GOOD FOR 5 CTS. IN GOODS Rb-12.
- 45A. Same ob. Rx. same but 10 CTS. Rb-14.
- 45B. Same as preceding. Rr-14.
46. Same ob. Rx. same only 25 CTS Rb-16.
47. Same ob. Rx. same only 50 CTS. Rb-20.
48. BONNEY, C. F., Worcester, Mass. (See Worcester Horse R. R. Co.)
- 49A. BOSTON DIATITE COMPANY/. PATENT 1868 In field, TRADE/DIATITE on arrow /MARK Rx. MANUFACTURERS/OF/GOODS/ * SIMILAR */TO/HARD RUBBER/ IN ALL COLORS. Ry-23. Stover 182.
- 49B. Same as preceding. Rw-23. Stover 182.
- 50A. BOWE'S/5/CELEBRATED/ICE CREAM SODA Rx. Blank save veticalation. 35 x 52 mm. Quadrangular. Vulcanite. H. Storer 7603.
- 50B. BOWE'S/15/CELEBRATED/ICE CREAM SODA. Rx. Diagonal cross lines rec. rg. 35½ x 23.
51. BRADYS BEND BRIDGE CO. GOOD FOR ONE FOOT PASSENGER Rx. (blank). Rr-16. Atwood Pa. 115A.
52. Similar to preceding but GOOD FOR ONE HORSE VEHICLE. Rw-16. Atwood Pa. 115B.

- 53A. M. A. BREED/CHEMIST & /DRUGGIST/rosette/OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE/PEORIA, ILL. Rx. GET YOUR/PRESCRIPTIONS, /PERFUMERY/ & FANCY GOOD/AT BREEDS/-/CITY DRUG STORE 31 mm. Vulcanite. H. Storer 7612.
- 53B. GO TO BREEDS CITY DRUG STORE PRINCETON, ILL. FOR FINE GOODS Rx. DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, PERFUMERY &C. Rb-20.
54. BREED & FURSMAN, CITY DRUG STORE. DRUGGISTS COR MAIN & ADAMS STS. PEORIA, ILL. Rx. DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, WINES, LIQUORS, PERFUMERY & TOILET ARTICLES Rb-20.
- 55A. BROADWAY RUBBER EMPORIUM. No. 603 BROADWAY. Rx. EXCLUSIVE DEALERS IN INDIA RUBBER GOODS OF EVERY VARIETY. Rb-24.
- 55B. Same ob. Same Rx. Rm-24.
- 55C. Same ob. Same Rx. Rw-24.
- 55D. BROADWAY/RUBBER/EMPORIUM,/NO. 603./BROADWAY Rx. EXCLUSIVE DEALERS/IN/INDIA/RUBBER/GOODS/OF/EVERY VARIETY. Rb-19.
56. M. M. BROKAW, VILLA GROVE COLORADO In exergue C. H. MOISE. S. F. Rx. GOOD FOR 12½¢ IN TRADE AT THE BAR. Rb-21.
- 57A. BROOKLYN LINE ONE FARE 1 Rx. Same as obverse. Rb-14. Atwood Ohio 175A (Cleveland, Ohio).
- 57B. Same as preceding. Rl-14. Atwood Ohio 175B.
58. Similar to preceding but "2". Rr-14. Atwood Ohio 175C.
- 59A. Similar to preceding but "3". Rg-14. Atwood Ohio 175D.
- 59B. Same as preceding. Rb-14. Atwood Ohio 175E.
- 60A. Similar to preceding. No number. Rr-14. Atwood Ohio 175F.
- 60B. Same as preceding. No number. Ry-14. Atwood Ohio 175G.
- 61A. BROWN, PANGBORN & CO. 86 LEONARD ST. 2 DOORS FROM BROADWAY, N. Y. Rx. FANCY GOODS HOSIERY, YANKEE NOTIONS &C. Rb-20.
- 61B. Same ob. Same Rx. Rm-20.
- 61C. Same ob. Same Rx. Rw-20.
62. BROWNSVILLE MATEMOROS GOOD AT THE FERRY FOR ONE FARE. Rx. MATAMOROS BROWNSVILLE BUENO EN EL VADO VIAGE. Rw-16. Atwood Tex. 35A.
63. BRUMMELL 10 BROADWAY & 31st ST. Rx. Diagonal cross lines same as Bowe rec. Ry-32½ x 22½.
64. BRYSTON, S., Post Trader
65. BUCK & RAYNOR, Chicago, Ill.
66. BUNTIN HOUSE, Terre Haute, Ind.
67. BURLINGTON STREET RAILROAD CO. 5 Rx. B.S.R.CO. TICKET. Rw-15. Atwood Io. 110-C.
68. BURNETT HOUSE, Cincinnati, O.
- 69A. HENRY W. BURR & CO. RUBBER GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL. Rx. BOSTON RUBBER EMPORIUM NO. 37 MILK ST. BOSTON MASS. Storer 269, Levick 1644. Rb-20.
- 69B. Same ob. Same Rx. Rm-20.
- 69C. Same ob. Same Rx. Rw-20.
- 70A. DR. T. H. BURRAS/three rosettes/SURGEON DENTIST/rosette 48 rosette/GREAT JONES ST./N.Y. Rx. PATENT/rosette VULCANITE rosette/PLATES/FOR ARTIFICIAL/TEETH Ol. Rm-29 x 23½. H. Storer 3938.
- 70B. Same as preceding. Ol. Rr-29 x 23½. Note: Levick Sale 1643 obviously same piece, only Woodward listed Bunas

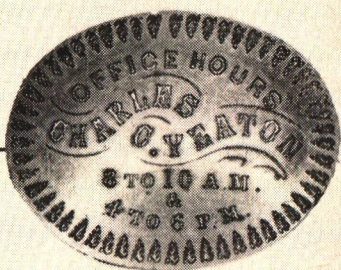
71. B. Y. M. C. A./BOYS DIVISION In field GYM Rx. plain. Storer 816. R-20
72. B. Y. M. C. A./BOYS DIVISION In field, SWIM Rx. plain. Storer 815. R-20.
73. BYRN & CO., T. P., Chicago, Ill.
- 74A. BYRNE, WM. P., Broadway, N. Y.
- 74B. PAYABLE IN GOODS/AT THE/CAMPBELL'S CREEK COAL COS ./ * STORE * Rx. 25 Rb-16.
75. CANARY BIRD BILLAIRD PARLOR, New York.
76. CASWELL, HAZARD & Co/5th AVE. HOTEL BUILDING/AND/6th AVE. COR. 39th ST. Rx. PRESENT THIS TO GET/YOUR MEDICINE In field, a number. Above, PRESCRIPTION CHECK 50 x 30 mm. Vulcanite. (New York, N.Y. and Newport, R. I.) H. Storer 7683. Levick 1645.
- 77A. CAMBRIA INCLINED PLANE CO. Rx. RESIDENT'S TICKET. Rh-15. Atwood Pa. 495A (Johnstown, Penn.).
- 77B. Same as preceding. Re-13. Atwood Pa. 495B.
- 77C. Same obverse as preceding. Rx. SINGLE TRIP TICKET 5. Rg-16. Atwood Pa. 495C.
78. CEDAR RAPIDS & M RY. CITY LINES 5 Rx. G. R. & M. RY. TICKET 5. Rw-15. Atwood Io. 150-A.
79. CENTENIAL ART GALLERY PHILADELPHIA IN MEMORIAL Rx. 1776-1876. ILLUSTRATING THE GROWTH AND PROSPERITY OF A FREE PEOPLE IN A HUNDRED YEARS. In exergue PAT. NOV 3.1874 H & L Rm-24.
80. CENT. PASS. RAILWAY Rx. WYLIE AND CENTRE AVE Rw-15. Atwood Pa. 765Q (Pittsburg, Penn.)
81. Same ob. as preceding. Rx. blank. Rr-15. Atwood Pa. 765R.
- 82A. CENTRAL PASS. R. R. Rx. FOURTH & WALNUT STS. Rb-15. Atwood Ky. 510Y. (Louisville, Ky.)
- 82B. Same as preceding. Rw-15. Atwood Ky. 510Z.
- 82C. Same as preceding. Rw-14. Atwood Ky. 510AA.
83. Similar to preceding. Center hole. Rw-14. Atwood Ky. 510BB.
- 84A. CENTRAL PASS R. R. CO. ONE FARE Rx. Same as ob. Rr-13. Atwood Ky. 510H.
- 84B. CENTRAL PASSENGER R. R. CO. ONE FARE. Rx. Same as ob. Rg-14. Atwood Ky. 510K.
- 84C. Same as preceding. Rh-14. Atwood Ky. 510XX.
85. CERREUTI, B., Buena Vista, O.
86. THE CHICAGO HERALD. Rx. A calendar for the year 1892. Note: This is a hard rubber flan with the ob. and rx. printed on enamel paper, white on black. Rb-24.
87. CLIMAX PLUG, CHEW In exergue CLIMAX Figures in field. Rx. same as ob. Plr-24.
88. CITIZENS STREET RAILWAY CO. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE Rw-15. Atwood Ill. 795H (Springfield, Ill.). Center hole.
89. Similar to above. No center hole. Rw-15. Atwood Ill. 795I.
90. CITIZENS STREET RAILWAY CO. SPRINGFIELD, ILL. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE Rw-15. Atwood Ill. 795J.
91. CITIZENS RY CO. SPRINGFIELD, MO. Rx. (street car). Rr-15. Atwood Mo. 860C.
92. CITIZENS ST. RY. CO. SPRINGFIELD O. HALF FARE Rx. (street car). Re-14. Atwood O. 830A.
93. Similar to preceding but ONE FARE. Rb-14. Atwood O. 830B.
- 94A. CITIZENS ST. R. R. CO. INDNPLS. ONE FARE Rx. (street car). Ry-15. Atwood Ind. 460A.
- 94B. Same as preceding. Rr-15. Atwood Ind. 460B.

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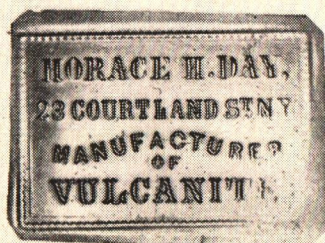
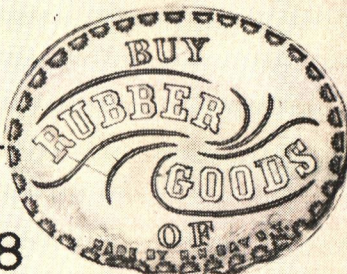
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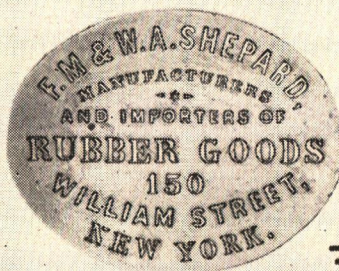
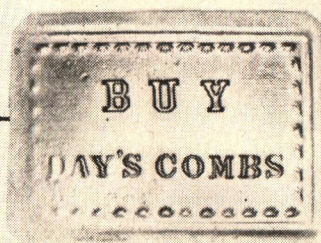
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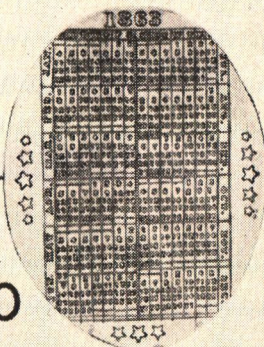
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96. CITY STREET RAILWAY CO. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE UNTIL 10 P.M. Rb-14. Atwood Tenn. 120A. (Chattanooga, Tenn.)
97. C. J. R., Sixth St., Cin. Ohio.
98. CLARKE'S OYSTER HOUSE RESTAURANT COR 30th & 8th AVE. Rx. cts. 335 Rb-20.
99. HENRY CLAY - Saterlee 125. This large Henry Clay medal, designed by C. C. Wright, struck in black rubber, with a matching red rubber case, is in the collection of T. P. Warfield of Baltimore. Thomas Elder thought this piece to be unique.
100. CLINTON & LYONS HORSE RAILWAY CO. Rx. ONE FARE. Rb-15. Atwood Io. 230A.
101. CLINTON STOVE WORKS
102. DAVID CLOSE. 147 & 152 FULTON ST. 1st STORES EAST OF BROADWAY, N.Y. Rx. A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FINE CLOTHING & FURNISHING GOODS. ON HAND AND MADE TO ORDER. Rm-20.
103. F. M. COLBURN GENERAL EASTERN RAIL ROAD OFFICE. TICKET AGENT. NO 32, 4th STREET UNDER PLANTERS HOUSE ST. LOUIS, MO. Rx. THE INDIANAPOLIS ROUTE SHORTEST & QUICKEST LINE BETWEEN THE ATLANTIC & MISSISSIPPI. In field, locomotive, coal truck and freight car. Rw-01-31 x 23.
104. COLCORD & CO./*/86/HANOVER &/-1 & 3-/PORTLAND STs/*// BOSTON. Rx. DEALERS IN ALL KINDS/OF APOTHECARIES GOODS. In field, -/WHOLESALE/DRUGGISTS R-18. Storer 295.
105. W. W. COLKET TWENTY FOR ONE DOLLAR Rx. CHESNUT & WALNUT STS P.R.R. 5 CTS. PHILDA. Rb-16. See Levick Sale 1646. Atwood Pa. 750C.
- 106A. COLUMBUS IND. ST. RAILWAY Rx. same as ob. Ry-15. Atwood Ind. 180A.
- 106B. Same as preceding. Rm-15. Atwood Ind. 180B.
107. COMMERCIAL HOTEL, Indianapolis.
- 108A. CONFERENCIAS DE S. VINCENTE DE PAUL/BOND./ Rx. PARROQUIN DE SAN LAZARO/SANTIAGO/ Rb-16.
- 108B. Same as preceding. Rr-16.
109. CONTINENTAL: rev 124
110. COOLEY'S HOTEL
111. D. A.
112. DAVIS & BROS., B. R., Galveston, Texas.
113. HORACE H. DAY, 23 COURTLAND ST. N. Y. MANUFACTURER OF VULCANITE Rx. BUY DAY'S COMBS. Rb-rec-26 x 20. See Levick Sale 1647.
114. HORACE H. DAY MANUFACTURER OF RUBBER & VULCANITE 23 CORTLAND ST. NEW YORK Rx. OFFICE HOURS CHARLES C. YEATON 8 TO 10 A.M. · 4 TO 6 P.M. Rb-ol-30½ x 24.
- 115A. DES MOINES STREET RAIL ROAD Rx. ONE FARE Ry-15. Atwood Io. 300A.
- 115B. Same as preceding. Rl-15. Atwood Io. 300B.
- 115C. Same as preceding. Rr-15. Atwood Io. 300C.
- 116A. DETROIT CITY RAILWAY HENDRIE, GEO. LESSEE. Rx. GOOD FOR ONE FARE. Rb-15. Atwood Mich. 225A.
- 116B. Same as preceding. Rw-15. Atwood Mich. 225B.
117. D. G. & CO.
118. D. G. E. L. AND ST. RY. CO., DANVILLE, ILL. Rx. ONE FARE Rr-14 Atwood Ill. 190D.

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COL. MOSS RECEIVES ZERBE AWARD

Officials of the American Numismatic Association and members of the Farran Zerbe Award Committee met at the Hotel Warwick in Philadelphia on January 23, 1954, to make the award for 1953 to Col. Joseph Moss of Philadelphia.



Dr. J. Hewitt Judd, President of the A.N.A. (right) presents the 1953 Farran Zerbe Award to Col. Joseph Moss, Past President.

The Farran Zerbe Memorial Award was established in 1951 in honor of the late Farran Zerbe, who was active in Association affairs for more than half a century and who contributed most generously of his time and energy in promoting the best interests of the Association. The award was suggested and founded by Louis S. Werner of New York.

The award is made each year to the member, considered by the Committee, to have rendered the Association a most distinguished service, and to be worthy of the highest honor that the Association can award. Col. Moss has

served the Association with distinction, as member, Governor, First Vice President and President over a period of 16 years.

The 1951 award was made to Past President M. Vernon Sheldon of Chicago, and the 1952 award was made to Mrs. June T. Pond of Winchester, Mass.



Present at the award of the Farran Zerbe plaque were members of the Committee and officials of the American Numismatic Association. Standing, left to right, General Secretary Lew Reagan, Julius Windner, Chairman of the Medallic Art Committee, Col. Joseph Moss, Dr. J. Hewitt Judd, President, Philip M. Neufeld, M. Vernon Sheldon. Seated, left to right, C. H. Ryan, Mrs. June T. Pond, Mrs. J. Hewitt Judd, Mrs. Joseph Moss, Mrs. Marcella Sheldon, Mrs. Philip M. Neufeld, Louis S. Werner.

OPEN LETTER TO ALL CLUB SECRETARIES, REPRESENTATIVES AND INDIVIDUAL A.N.A. MEMBERS

During early February information and blanks relative to National Coin Week were sent to all Corporate Club Secretaries and Club Representatives. This information should be presented at your regular Club meeting. If such information has not been received or if additional supplies are needed please let me know.

Such information and blanks are ready for mailing to individual members or unincorporated clubs *upon request*. Everyone is welcome.

Advance requests indicate an outstanding response for 1954. We respectfully request that every member do something to help make National Coin Week more international in its scope by taking an active part in its celebration. With the information and suggestions furnished you will find it easy, pleasant and instructive.

Remember that each individual or Club submitting a report of any National Coin Week activity will receive an "Award of Merit" suitable for framing even though you fail to win one of the big top awards.

Please let me hear from you.

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Phoenix, Arizona.

THE PRIMITIVE MONEY OF AFRICA

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CHAPTER VII

MISCELLANEOUS CURRENCIES

Slaves

Slavery is believed to have been in vogue in Africa from the earliest days¹ and slaves were used as currency in many countries as late as the Dark Ages.² They were used as a store of wealth, a standard unit,³ and currency in the early days of Greece, Egypt and Rome. It is more difficult to trace the use of this "living" currency in Africa after the time of the Egyptians because of Africa's obscure history. Although slavery existed in Africa centuries before the arrival of the Europeans, it has been suggested that the new demand for slaves for the export market resulted in their being used for monetary purposes in Africa.⁴ This theory seems logical but it must be remembered that since slaves were employed as currency in Egypt and other countries in ancient times, it is equally as logical to assume that the practice continued until the arrival of the white men. As early as 1455, a horse could be purchased in Africa for eighteen slaves, and a half of a century later one could be had for twelve slaves.⁵ We also find that in 1667 slaves had a monetary use in the Congo and were valued in native made mats. It seems the better view that African slave currency antedated the arrival of the Europeans since they were not in great demand for export when the first Europeans arrived.

Slaves were obtained in several ways, the most common of which was by intertribal warfare. They were also acquired by kidnaping, by purchase, and by default of debtors who had pawned them as security.⁷ Slave raiding was at one time so prevalent in Africa that the members of some coast tribes employed for that purpose wore a blue tattoo mark running down their forehead to the bridge of their nose to signify that they were exempt from capture and sale in the slave markets.⁸ It has been estimated that the slave trade cost over one hundred million African lives,⁹ because in addition to the slaves captured, and those who died as a result of ill treatment, whole villages were burned and all but the able-bodied men and women inhabitants were unmercifully slaughtered.¹⁰ Out of every one hundred slaves shipped from Africa, seventeen are said to have died in about nine weeks and not more than

1 (24, p 34)
2 (26, p 342)
3 (59, p 9)
4 (24, p 34)
5 (8, p 86)

6 (3, p 157)
7 (5, p 105)
8 (56, p 210)
9 (72, p 100)
10 (43, p 9)

fifty lived to become effective laborers.¹¹

One author¹² describes the brutal treatment of slaves as follows: "In the long journey from the interior to the coast, each man and woman marched with an iron collar about his neck and with a chain running to the slave in front and the slave behind. Whenever anyone became too weak to go further, the Arabs didn't trouble to unlock the collar; they simply slashed off the man's head and thus released the chain so that the line could continue on its way."

Slavery was closely linked with the ivory trade in Africa and slaves were used as porters to carry the heavy tusks hundreds of miles to the coast where both the ivory and slaves were sold for export. This practice led to the term "black ivory" being applied to slaves.¹³ Ivory was given in barter for slaves¹⁴ and both served as stored wealth and as a unit of value as we shall see later.

Slaves were used as one of the highest, and usually the highest, of all forms of media of exchange. As one writer well states: "The slave was at once the means of labor, the main capital, the vehicle of transportation, the common currency, and the usual tribute given to satisfy the covetousness of native chiefs."¹⁵ Their value from time to time depended greatly upon the supply and demand and, of course, the value differed greatly in different areas. At one time a slave had the value of five oxen in Africa, or one hundred pieces of cloth, or a double barreled gun.¹⁶ The commercial amount of value in the olden days was a slave and things were priced in them as we price property in dollars. Fines were payable in slaves as were tribute and "bride-prices." The purchasing value of slaves diminished greatly from the coast to the interior, and they were only worth about one-seventh as much far inland.¹⁷

Slaves were used as currency in all sections of Africa where the slave trade flourished. At one time in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, a slave was valued at thirty pieces of cotton cloth, or six oxen, or ten dollars. In Nigeria slaves became the principal media of exchange and they were collected and held much as Europeans and Americans amass money.¹⁸ In later years, gin, as we will see later, replaced slaves as the primary currency of Nigeria.¹⁹

In French Africa the standard unit of value was a slave of medium quality and in the French Sudan slaves were the most important currency and were used in large transactions.²⁰ Slave currency was used in Ashanti and Guinea Bay, as well as in the Belgian Congo where their value kept fairly stable because a slave was always worth his weight in meat since weak or ill slaves were killed and eaten. Later, when the demand for export slaves increased, the purchasing value of slaves rose above their "meat" value. In Angola the unit of slave currency was a young slave about twenty years of age.²¹

Doubtless the use of slaves as currency added to the popularity of the slavery system among the stronger tribes who profited greatly by it. Einzig²² says: "Slaves were needed both as currency which provides its

11 (31, Vol. 20, p 779)

12 (23, p 191)

13 (21, p 115)

14 (19, Vol. 1, p 308)

15 (75, p 19)

16 (75, p 19)

17 (27, p 380)

18 (18, p 208)

19 (18, p 296)

20 (29, pp 141, 144)

21 (29, p 165)

22 (29, p 149)

own transport and as carriers of other bulky and heavy currencies. Natives and potentates and merchants, when traveling some distance, spent on their way not only the currencies which their slaves carried in payment for their current requirements, but also the slaves themselves." The introduction of European currency doubtless aided in efforts to abolish slavery in Africa by supplying a substitute for the slave currency.

It is surprising to find that slavery existed in some areas in Africa until a late date. The Slavery Commission of the League of Nations in 1925 reported that the slave trade still prevailed in nineteen political areas, including Abyssinia and Liberia.²³

Women were used as currency by the Bakwiri in French Africa for large transactions²⁴ and since they were sold they may properly be classified as slaves, although no doubt a few of them were obtained for brides or mistresses. Sierra Leone women were also said to have been "the most marketable commodity in the natives' land,"²⁵ and an African chief is quoted as saying that: "his property was in wives, whom if he chose he could barter for anything he wanted."²⁶ From this it appears that in the early days women were used for barter and, in a few instances, as currency.

Livestock Currency

The use of livestock as currency in Africa had a precedent of long standing since cattle and oxen were used as money in ancient Greece and Rome. Homer speaks of the Greeks purchasing wine with brass, iron, hides, cattle and slaves.²⁷ The cattle standard was maintained after the introduction of coins and about BC 490, the gold Daric was the equivalent of a cow at Delos and a female slave was valued at four oxen.²⁸ Cattle currency in Africa is thought to have been a survival of the early pecuniary system of Europe, and the word "pecuniary" comes from the Latin word for money, *pecunia*, which in turn is derived from the word *pecus*, meaning "a herd of cattle or sheep."²⁹ The use of cattle as currency survived down to the Dark Ages in many parts of the world.³⁰

Hirskovits³¹ admits that cattle constituted a "hall-mark of wealth" in East Africa but denies that this livestock was "money." His views in this regard, however, are at variance with the weight of authority to the contrary.³²

In the areas where cattle currency prevailed, the natives did not use their animals for meat, except when they died, but lived on milk which they mixed with the blood of their cattle obtained by tapping their jugular veins from time to time.³³ During a famine in 1929 thousands of natives died of starvation because they would not slaughter and eat their cattle and sheep.³⁴ The cattle standard resulted in vast herds of cattle which soon caused depletion of vegetation and soil erosion and necessitated constant search for new grazing areas.

Because livestock was used for currency, it was impossible for European agricultural experts to convince the natives that they should cull their herds. All of the arguments of the government men were met

23 (31, Vol. 2, p 80)

24 (29, p 139)

25 (34, p 75)

26 (77, p 467)

27 (Illiad, 7th Book)

28 (58, p 10 footnote)

29 (59, p 7)

30 (26, p 331)

31 (52, p 233)

32 (29, p 120) (68, p 101)

33 (55, p 70) (66, p 63) (76, p 43)

34 (32, p 386)

with the logical reply by the natives that Europeans value old and disreputable paper currency as highly as they did new, therefore to the natives an old cow, being a unit of money, was as valuable to them as a healthy young cow.³⁵ The situation became so serious that it was suggested by one government official that "tokens in the shape of a goat or cow, or one bearing the image of the animals, be issued to the natives and made redeemable in European currency" to bridge the psychological gap between the animal and the mineral tokens of exchange,³⁶ but the idea was never adopted.

One of the important uses of the cattle currency was the payment of "bride-price" and this practice was instrumental in increasing the size of the herds. The individual's cattle were ordinarily not branded or otherwise marked, regardless of the size of the herd, because the natives all knew their own cattle. In some areas, however, the cattle were marked by a clan mark to show the tribe to which they belonged.³⁷

In addition to cattle and oxen, goats,³⁸ sheep,³⁹ and camels,⁴⁰ served as money in some African areas, and these livestock were also used for "bride-purchase."⁴¹ The camels served as currency for tribes inhabiting British and Italian Somaliland.^{40a} In some areas of East Africa chickens, goats and cattle were graded into a system by which one head of cattle was worth four or five goats, and one goat equalled in value ten or more chickens.⁴² In other areas, cattle were used for large financial transactions and other primitive money, its value based on the cattle standard and valued in fractions thereof, was used for minor purchases.

We do not have too much information concerning the type of breed of cattle used as currency but the Mosai in Kenya raised cattle of the humped Zebu type⁴³ and in Uganda there were two types, the Zebu being humped and having short horns, and a straight-backed breed with long horns.⁴⁴

The livestock currency was employed at various times in most sections devoted to the raising of livestock. It was employed in Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Ethiopia, Kenya, Equatorial Africa, French Sudan, Tanganyika, Guinea Bay, Southwest Africa,⁴⁵ Uganda,⁴⁶ and Rhodesia.⁴⁷ The cattle and other livestock were not only used for "bride-purchase" but for the payment of taxes,⁴⁸ fines,⁴⁹ tribute,⁵⁰ "blood-money"⁵¹ and large commercial transactions.

Salt

Salt has been used as currency in many countries since ancient times; it circulated in Sumatra, Mexico,⁵² China, Italy,⁵³ Tibet,⁵⁴ and India,⁵⁵ as well as in Africa. The Romans paid part of the wages of the legionnaires in salt, *salarium*, from which we receive the word "salary."⁵⁶ Salt was greatly needed by the African natives because of their vegetable

35 (32, pp 318, 319)

36 (47, p 1069)

37 (50, Part I, p 352)

38 (53, p 209) (20, Vol. II, p 3)

39 (63, p 454)

40 (29, p 125)

40a (29, p 125)

41 (55, p 70)

42 (83, p 8)

43 (31, Vol. 15, p 8)

44 (73, p 195)

45 (29, pp 120, 126, 129, 139, 145, 168)

46 (70, p 193)

47 (29, p 137)

48 (32, p 155)

49 (50, Part I, p 354)

50 (30, p 415)

51 (50, Part I, p 352)

52 (54, p 28)

53 (35, p 208)

54 (31, Vol. 19, p 899)

55 (79, p 364)

56 (59, p 35)

diet.⁵⁷ In some sections of Africa it was also supposed to have certain beneficial medical properties.⁵⁸ This commodity currency was reported in use in Africa as early as the 14th century⁵⁹ and probably it had been in circulation many years prior to then.

The salt used for money in Africa was obtained from several different sources. When found in a natural state, as it was in certain limited areas, it was cut out in blocks or slabs. Near marshes and swamps which were occasionally inundated by the sea, the water or vegetation growing therein was boiled to obtain the salt.⁶⁰ In other areas saline springs supplied this commodity and the water was evaporated in open pans or vessels in Uganda⁶¹ and in the Congo.⁶² In inland areas where such springs and natural salt deposits were not available, salt was obtained by the laborious artificial process of burning leaves or plants, collecting the ashes in straw baskets which were then hung on trees, and a vessel placed beneath them so that when it rained the water filtered through the basket of ashes and was impregnated with the salts of the soda and potash from the ashes. The resulting liquid was exposed to evaporation, leaving a deposit of salt.⁶³

The salt currency in Africa circulated in many different forms; some in small bags made of leaves or fiber; some pounded into long bamboo baskets; and others passed from hand to hand in bars, sticks, cakes, or cone-shaped pieces.⁶⁴ In later years salt was imported from Europe and the values of the salt currency declined.⁶⁵

The salt currency appears to have been used more extensively in the earlier days than most other primitive currencies except cowry shells. It circulated as a medium of exchange in the Belgian Congo,⁶⁶ where it was used for small payments, in the Cameroons, being next in importance to tobacco,⁶⁷ and in Sierra Leone, where it circulated packed solidly in long bamboo baskets. In the Lake Chad region the salt currency consisted of oval cakes about two and a half inches long and one and a half inches wide,⁶⁸ and in some areas of the Congo salt was preferred as wages by natives in the interior.⁶⁹

Salt money was also used in Angola in whetstone-shaped bars,⁷⁰ and in Tanganyika, where it passed in cylindrical leaf packages weighing from twenty to thirty pounds each, one package being worth two yards of beads.⁷¹ In the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan bars of salt were used as currency⁷² and in northern Liberia it was used in the form of bars 80 centimeters long and 10 centimeters in diameter, packed in palm leaves. One cake was valued at twenty iron bars.⁷³ In the Basango district of Rhodesia the salt currency was packed into baskets one foot long, and three inches wide, and five baskets were valued at a male calf and twenty were worth a heifer.⁷⁴

Salt currency was also used in the French Sudan and in the early days a slave was worth his weight in salt.⁷⁵ Salt was also used for minor purchases, sometimes passing at the rate of a few grains at a time.⁷⁶ In Nigeria the salt currency was in units worth two shillings six

57 (31, Vol. 19, p 899)

58 (73, p 285)

59 (68, p 53)

60 (48, p 15)

61 (42, p 148)

62 (60, p 57)

63 (46, p 81) (15, Vol. II, p 102)

64 (38, p 51)

65 (50, Part II, p 591)

66 (29, p 164)

67 (57, p 25)

68 (50, Part I, p 26)

69 (68, p 53)

70 (29, p 168)

71 (68, p 54)

72 (44, p 160)

73 (83, p 38)

74 (29, p 137)

75 (29, p 144)

76 (29, p 144)

pence in 1789. Cones of salt were current there as late as 1920. Salt currency was likewise used in the Guinea Bay area where a slave was at one time valued at 300 salt packets.⁷⁷ One traveler stated that a Zanda woman in Bongo, would sell herself for a pinch of salt.⁷⁸

The most classical example of the salt currency, however, is encountered in Abyssinia; it is said that it was in circulation when early explorers visited that country at the beginning of the 16th century, and probably many years before. It was believed to have been first introduced there by the Amole tribe and the name *amole* is still applied to the bars of currency salt.⁷⁹ At the time of the recent Italian invasion of Ethiopia the currency there is reported to have consisted almost exclusively of Maria Theresa dollars and salt.^{79a}

The source of the salt used in Ethiopia was in Danakil tribal territory where it was cut into slabs from the salt beds and carried by caravans into the interior.⁸⁰ Some salt reaching western Ethiopia was from Port Sudan, where it was obtained by means of evaporation.⁸¹ The sizes and shapes of the salt cakes in Ethiopia varied greatly. Some were rectangular, about 8" by 6", with a groove down the center to facilitate breaking in half; some were rectangular bars in sizes ranging from 1" to 3" thick and 12" to 18" long;⁸² others were in a shape described as similar to a whetstone⁸³ which varied in length from 10 to 12 inches and 1½" to 2½" in width and thickness at the middle with a slight tapering toward the ends. Five of these were worth a dollar at the capital at one time⁸⁴ but this value varied from 2 cakes to 10 cakes to the dollar.⁸⁵ An Abyssinian currency salt cake consisting of six oval-shaped pieces forming a rectangular bar has been described,⁸⁶ but other writers fail to mention this type of cake.

One author states that the Ethiopian salt cakes were originally white⁸⁷ but soon became black after being handled, although another claims that the original color of the cakes was gray or black.⁸⁸ It was customary for natives to pass their salt currency cakes to friends to be tasted upon meeting which soon resulted in the currency becoming covered with dust and saliva.⁸⁹ Pieces were carefully broken off of the cakes to pay for small purchases and broken pieces measuring the width of a finger were called *guba*. Commodities were priced, however, in the full sized cakes.⁹⁰ Usually only cakes of full size and good condition were accepted and apparently those cracked or chipped were consumed by the natives. In the early days a donkey load of the salt cakes would purchase a slave.⁹¹ In addition to being used for ordinary purchases, the cakes were at one time accepted as legal tender in the payment of fines and taxes.⁹²

The salt currency was used primarily in the Amharu provinces of Ethiopia but was popular throughout the country for small change. In the more backward provinces it constituted the only currency⁹³ and

77 (29, p 158)

78 (85, p 237)

79 (29, p 123)

79a (29, p 123)

80 (64, p 61)

81 (51, p 297)

82 (40, p 23)

83 (16, Vol. I, p 136)

84 (71, p 296)

85 (69, p 308)

86 (61, p 23)

87 (1, p 38)

88 (29, p 123)

89 (28, p 746) (68, p 53)

90 (83, p 38)

91 (29, p 124)

92 (68, p 55)

93 (29, p 123)

perhaps is still in circulation when there is a scarcity of Maria Theresa dollars and Ethiopian coins.

Gold

Gold was one of the currencies in many limited areas in Africa and its monetary use can be traced to ancient Egypt where gold rings⁹⁴ and gold dust⁹⁵ were passed by weight. Gold rings have recently been found in Africa but there is no evidence that they have been current during modern times.⁹⁶ Being too soft for tools and weapons, gold was not treasured by the Africans as it was in many other parts of the world, and it was used for ornaments by only a few tribes. Bosman⁹⁷ relates that the natives on the Gold Coast wore "Gold Fetiches" as ornaments in the early days and Hamby⁹⁸ states that some gold was fashioned into personal ornaments, but much of it was traded across the western Sahara to Tegahga in the form of dust where it was exchanged for salt from that region. Apparently most of the Africans were too practical to greatly value a metal which could not be made into tools and weapons, as well as ornaments.⁹⁹

West Africa has been an important source of gold since ancient times and it has been estimated that the Gold Coast has been producing surface gold for over 2,000 years. Gold dust was also obtained from streams and sometimes nuggets were reduced to dust to facilitate smaller units for trade.¹⁰⁰ In ancient times peoples from other countries obtained gold from Africa by means of "silent barter," namely, by leaving their trade wares on shore, returning to their ships, and coming back later to pick up the gold which the natives had left in exchange for the merchandise.¹⁰¹

Although gold nuggets were sometimes used as currency in Africa, most of the gold was put into circulation in the form of dust. In the Egyptian Sudan in the early days the tiny grains of gold were collected from streams and placed in vulture quills and traded to the Arabs for sheep, cattle and clothing. The Arabs transported the gold to Fadassi, on the border of Abyssinia, where it was melted and cast into small rings.¹⁰² The rings were stamped¹⁰³ and used as money in important transactions in Abyssinia, being at one time the principal currency for the purchase of guns and ammunition.¹⁰⁴ Mrs. Quiggin¹⁰⁵ says that these rings form a link with the similar gold currency rings of Egypt.

In the Sudan gold dust was sometimes placed in bean pods and used for money in that form and in Timbuctoo, in the French Sudan, and other cities, gold by weight was a common medium of exchange. The unit was the ancient Arabic weight, the *mitkhal*, equal to the weight of ninety-six grains of wheat.¹⁰⁶ On the Gambia and Senegal rivers gold dust was the principal medium of exchange at one time. A weight of gold equal in value to about \$2.50 in our money was called a *minkalli* and it was standard in the countries bordering the rivers. At one time it was equivalent to 3,000 cowries.¹⁰⁷ Gold dust was traded in many areas of West Africa and apparently served as a unit of barter¹⁰⁸ in

94 (68, p 93) (12, pp 97, 98) (14, p 103)

95 (59, p 14)

96 (25, p 137)

97 (10, p 387)

98 (50, Part I)

99 (20, Vol. 2, p 329)

100 (74, p 52)

101 (11, pp 13, 14)

102 (17, Vol. I, p 44)

103 (62, p 116)

104 (40, p 23)

105 (68, p 94)

106 (29, p 145)

107 (40, p 24)

108 (83, p 38)

some instances and as currency in others because one author relates that it was the true currency when the Portuguese arrived in West Africa in the 15th Century.

On the slave coast, adjoining the Gold Coast to the east, gold dust was the chief medium of exchange where it circulated either in grains or by weight. A farthing's worth could be paid by balancing a grain or two on a knife tip. Seeds were used as weights.¹¹⁰ Gold tokens served as currency in the Cameroons but we have no detailed description of them.¹¹¹

Prior to 1880, both gold dust and nuggets were legal tender in the Gold Coast. In that year the Demonetization Ordinance made British coins, and certain coins of Spain, France and America, the only legal tender.¹¹² It was the natives of Ashanti, however, with their southern border forming the Gold Coast, who utilized gold as a currency more extensively than any other tribes in Africa. They had a refined system of gold scales and weights.¹¹³ The weights were of copper, bronze and brass; the oldest is estimated to have been of bronze and the most recent of brass. Gibbs¹¹⁴ claims that each member of this tribe had his own personal weights with which to gauge the value of gold dust. Some of the weights were flat, round, square, or oblong while others were in the shapes of animals, humans, birds, and insects. The more complicated ones were made by the "lost wax" method¹¹⁵ described in Chapter VI, Brass Frog Money. If the finished weight was not heavy enough, cavities were filled and if too heavy, the weight was reduced by filing. A chief obtained additional revenue by having a special set of weights heavier than those used by his tribesmen and thus gained when gold dust was transferred to him. Hambly¹¹⁶ says that each weight represented a proverb.

Tributes, fines, compensation for injuries, and "bride-price" were all paid in certain weights of gold dust in Ashanti. In the year 1817 the chief's sons could be redeemed for approximately forty ounces of gold dust and a commoner for a much less amount; compensation for murder was twenty ounces of dust and a slave; an accidental killing was compensated for with five ounces and burial expenses; and a wife could be had for from 1/9 of an ounce to two ounces, depending upon the station in life of the groom. A member of a chief's family who was guilty of adultery was required to pay twenty ounces of gold dust to the aggrieved spouse, although a commoner need only pay a fraction of an ounce and a pot of palm wine.¹¹⁷ In some areas of Africa adulterated gold served as currency. For example, on the slave coast minor currency consisted of gold dust with other ingredients of small value, cut into bits, called *kakeraas*, some of which were cast into fetiches,¹¹⁸ the exact description of which is not given by early travelers. One author¹¹⁹ states that the Africans mixed "fatish" gold in small grains with gold and that the real gold dust was worth £4 sterling per ounce and the adulterated only £3, 5 shillings.

The circulation of the gold currency was more restricted than most of the other primitive money of Africa due to the limited areas in which it was found.

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109 (33, p 32)
110 (68, p 91)
111 (45, p 69)
112 (41, p 103)
113 (83, p 38)
114 (37, p 27)

115 (50, Part II, p 612)
116 (50, Part II, p 612)
117 (68, pp 91, 92)
118 (68, p 91)
119 (84, pp 9, 10)

THE CUBAN PESOS OF 1897 AND 1898

By Thomas Ollive Mabbott

This is a kind of open letter to Mr. Thomas Lismore, for I do not have his address. Some of his arguments about Cuban "dollars" of 1897 and 1898 seem to me specious. Coin and money are not synonymous terms. The definitions of the Oxford English Dictionary are not authoritative, although the examples cited usually are. There are bad definitions of some words in the O.E.D. Try the words *arrack* and *nova*. The *Encyclopedia Britannica* definition of a coin admits that it is not necessarily of metal. The siege pieces of Leyden, made of bookcover, with the same dies used for silver, are surely coins. The Dictionary makes no real difference between coins and patterns, the world over.

The Cuban pesos were apparently made in New York, and sold to Americans. The primary purpose was raising funds for a revolutionary movement that was not recognized by the United States of America at the time. I think that contributors to the *Numismatic Review*, of which I was editor, were entirely justified in concluding that pesos and souvenirs, which they thought never circulated in Cuba, were not coins of Cuba.

However, Mr. Lismore's reference to the Havana *El Sol* of July 7, 1924, of which my contributors were not aware, any more than I, is of great importance. Apparently President Estrada Palma deposited the remainder of the pesos in the Treasury in Cuba, regarding them as money. I consider that action may be considered the equivalent of circulation.

If I had a specimen of the Cuban souvenir of 1897, or the peso of 1898, I would classify it as a coin. Thank you, Mr. Lismore.

Book Review

ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE OF CHINESE COINS — by E. Kann, 1954

This book of 476 pages and 224 Plates, is a most complete work on the gold, silver, nickel and aluminum coins of China. The advanced collector, as well as the beginner will profit from the use of this catalogue, because varieties and types omitted in earlier works on Chinese coins are included in this volume. It is a practical handbook, and contains, as well, many historical and scientific annotations.

As a former official member of the National Mint Commission of China, Mr. Kann has undertaken to supply information on coinage output — something which has not hitherto been done. Also, he has placed, arbitrarily he admits, valuations in United States coin, of all pieces.

For the first time, Chinese "fantasy" coins, and souvenir medals are illustrated, also numerous outright forgeries. The 224 Plates include illustrations of 1700 different coins. Also for the first time, the size and thickness of every coin catalogued, as well as in most cases, the weight of every piece, is given.

Mr. Kann includes a list of mints, which at one time or the other, have functioned in China, Sinkiang, or Tibet. Vital Chinese inscriptions found on coins are reproduced and given in translation.

This is the kind of a book we have been looking for, and if you want to wait your turn you may order it from the Library of the American Numismatic Association. There are a few reserves on it at present, and you will not get it for some time. If you are anxious to procure a copy for yourself, see your dealer, watch the advertisements in *The Numismatist*, or consult Mr. Eduard Kann, 1995 North Sycamore Avenue, Los Angeles 28, California. (The Library Number is K-45.)

— MRS. D. D. D.

Obituaries

FRED DUFFIELD, A.N.A. LIFE MEMBER NO. 61

Fred Duffield, former president of the A.N.A., died in Baltimore, Maryland, February 16, 1954, at the age of 87 years.

CHARLES W. RANDOLPH, A.N.A. NO. 6348

Charles Walter Randolph, A.N.A. No. 6348, died December 29, 1953, of a coronary occlusion at the age of 56. He was a resident of Hubbard, Ohio, and had been ill only 10 days.

Born in Junction City, Ohio, Mr. Randolph studied at Ohio State University and Fenn College at Cleveland, Ohio, taught accounting at Spencerian College there, and was a veteran of both World Wars, attaining the rank of captain in the second War. Mr. Randolph was in the actuary department of the Ohio Bureau of Unemployment until 1937 when he joined the Westinghouse Electric Corp., at Sharon, Pa., as a payroll analyst. He was a member of the Lutheran Church, the Scioto Consistory, Scottish Rite and Masonic Lodge of Hubbard, Ohio, and is survived by his wife.

Active in numismatics in Eastern Ohio and Western Pennsylvania, Mr. Randolph was associated not only with A.N.A., but also Western Reserve Coin Club and Youngstown Numismatic Club. He had served in official capacities in the Penn-Ohio Coin Club, the Greenville Coin Club, New Castle, Pa., Coin Club; and was a member of other coin clubs nearby. Mr. Randolph frequently attended coin conventions and similar numismatic occasions, and will be remembered by many for his deep interest and numismatic information.

MRS. JOSEPH MERKEL, A.N.A. NO. 9915

Mrs. Caroline Merkel, A.N.A. No. 9915, of Chicago, died on January 10, shortly after suffering a stroke. She was a former biology teacher at Chicago's South Shore high school. Her parents were the late Nels and Thilda Swanson. The funeral was held in Salem Lutheran Church with interment at Oak Woods Cemetery. Long-time member of the American Numismatic Association and the Chicago Coin Club, her interests ranged the field of coin collecting. An active participant in the Chicago club's affairs, Mrs. Merkel had served as its Second Vice President, and on many of its committees. She is survived by her husband, Joseph, one-time Secretary-Treasurer of the Chicago Coin Club.

DR. BENJAMIN AUGUSTUS COTTLOW, A.N.A. NO. 19759

Dr. Benjamin Augustus Cottlow, 82, died December 15, 1953, in Oregon, Ill., where he had practiced since 1910. After graduation from Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, Chicago, in 1892, he practiced in that city for a time. A member of both the Shrine and Consistory, he received his 50-year Masonic pin in 1948. Upon retirement seven years ago, he began actively collecting coins starting with a nucleus that had been in the family for a long time. He limited his acquisitions to Hard Times Tokens, Encased Postage Stamps and Fractional Currency. When well enough, he spent many hours at his typewriter searching for missing items. Although a relative newcomer to the A.N.A., he became acquainted with many fellow collectors through correspondence.

CLEVELAND

A.N.A. CONVENTION CITY FOR 1954

It is not too early to begin your plans to attend one of the best conventions ever held by the American Numismatic Association. The committees are hard at work in preparation, and will spare no pains or effort to make your visit here a most enjoyable one.

Cleveland is the largest city in Ohio and the sixth largest in the United States, and extends for over 30 miles along Lake Erie. The climate in August is comfortable. The city plan is simple and orderly, with all principal avenues leading to the Public Square and the Terminal Tower, tallest building in the United States outside of New York.



The Cleveland Public Library at East 3rd and Superior Avenue is one of the largest in the country. It has a copy of almost every book ever published, most of which are available to the public.

When the Northwest Territory was organized in 1787, Connecticut was allowed to keep part of the land grant from Charles II. This part was called the "Western Reserve," and was bought and surveyed by the Connecticut Land Company, led by General Moses Cleveland. The original population of the City of Cleveland was 49 (in 1796), but with the completion of the Ohio and Erie Canal in 1832, the population had grown to about 5000. The population is now nearly one million.

In addition to the program of entertainment planned for within the hotel, there are numerous points of interest that visitors will not want to miss. Some of these will be described in future articles about Cleveland

and circulars will be available at the registration desk at time of convention.

Details of the program will be published later. Please keep the dates in mind . . . August 17-21, 1954 . . . and plan to be here.

Space is still available in the bourse and may be reserved for \$50, which includes full registration fee, including ticket to the banquet. Reservation should be sent to either Matt J. Gazso, 4206 W. 208th St., Fairview Park 26, Ohio or Charles Ricard, 1944 E. 75th St., Cleveland 3, Ohio.

Members are invited to exhibit material from their collections. Attractive awards will be made for best exhibits in five or more classifications. In order to avoid excessive duplication and have a well rounded exhibit, members should request reservation of exhibit cases. There is no charge. Exhibits are protected by insurance and uniformed police guards. The membership exhibit cases are 39 x 26.5 inches, inside dimensions, and number of cases available will depend on total number of reservations. Requests for exhibit case reservations should be made to either W. M.



Looking east on Superior Avenue from the Public Square. The City's founders had planned Superior Avenue as the principal business street but fate dictated otherwise. Euclid Avenue on the right, is the main business section and houses all of Cleveland's leading theatres and department stores.

Jacka, 588 Darlington Road, Bedford, Ohio or Edgar G. Bell, 3657 Silsby Road, Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio.

Watch for further announcements in succeeding issues of *The Numismatist*.

— A. J. CROSHIER, *General Chairman*,
4384 West 146th St.,
Cleveland 11, Ohio

P. C. N. S. TO BE HOST TO CALIFORNIA STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION

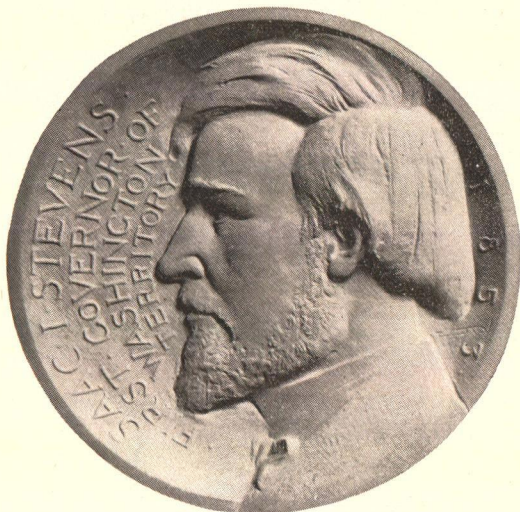
The Pacific Coast Numismatic Society of San Francisco will soon play host to the third convention in its 39 years of existence. Although not a record, this convention will be if the enthusiasm of the P.C.N.S. members and officers is any criterion. The convention fund is well past the one-third mark. All signs point to a bigger and better 14th semiannual California State Numismatic Association Convention, April 22 to 25, 1954, at the Bellevue Hotel. Lesley Lodge is convention chairman, John E. Ohls, co-chairman and Paul Snedaker, special assistant.

Featured will be the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the San Francisco Mint. Visits to the mint will be part of the program. The P.C.N.S. extends a hearty welcome to members, fellows, friends, numismatists, numismaniacs, and just plain coin collectors throughout the United States. There will be places to go! Things to see! Fun to be had!

WASHINGTON TERRITORY CENTENNIAL MEDALS

The Washington Territory Centennial bronze medal issued in honor of the founding of Washington Territory, 1853-1953, was designed and modeled by James A. Wehn, sculptor of Northwest historical memorials and monuments. Mr. Wehn is founder of the Department of Sculpture at the University of Washington and designer of the 100-year Territorial Commemorative stamp recently issued for Washington.

On the obverse of the medal, profile facing left, is the head of Isaac I. Stevens, first governor of Washington Territory. He was appointed by President Franklin Pierce. Born in Andover, Mass., Stevens was graduated from West Point at the head of his class in 1839. He was an officer of engineers and



served in the Mexican War, where he gained distinction for ability and courage. His appointment as Governor of Washington Territory fired his energy and ambition so that his capacity for work seemed boundless. He obtained the additional office of Superintendent of Indian Affairs in the territory, and command of the party surveying the railroad route from the Mississippi river to tidewater of Puget Sound. He also demonstrated the practicability of a railroad across the continent. His surveys and reports have proved to be storehouses of useful information. After serving four years as Governor, Stevens was elected a delegate to Congress from Washington Territory and was serving

in that capacity when the Civil War broke out. He volunteered and was made colonel of the 79th Highlanders, a New York regiment. He won rapid promotion. Only 44 when killed, in the battle of Chantilly, Sept. 1st, 1862, he was the youngest Major General in the Union army.

The reverse of the medal shows members of a pioneer family who have followed the Oregon Trail, and have come at last to the end of the journey in



the great Northwest, few miles from the Canadian border. The oxen, relaxed after their long trek, and the mother holding the child, convey the idea that here is home. The man, alert, surveys the land, water and mountains. The axe is symbolic of the great abundance of timber from which he is to build their future home. These are the founders and builders of the great territory.

The medal, 2 3/4 inches in diameter, is sponsored by the Washington Territorial Pioneers and the Seattle Coin Club. The dies were made and the medals struck by the Medallie Art Company of New York City. It is the first historical medal of the State of Washington. The issue is limited to 200 medals. Purchase may be made through the Seattle Coin Club, 609 Peoples Building, Seattle, Washington, at \$6.50 each, plus 25c postage.

DOMESTIC COINAGE EXECUTED, BY MINTS, DURING DECEMBER, 1953

Denomination	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Denver	Total Value	Total Pieces
SILVER					
Half-dollars —					
Regular	\$ 11,057.50	.....	\$ 137,000.00	\$ 148,057.50	296,115
B. T. Washington-					
G. Wash. Carver		\$ 50,008.50	.....	50,008.50	100,017
Quarter dollars ..	434,528.75	659,000.00	2,730,600.00	3,824,128.75	15,296,515
Dimes	270,211.50	.....	1,997,000.00	2,267,211.50	22,672,115
Total Silver ...	715,797.75	709,008.50	4,864,600.00	6,289,406.25	38,364,762
MINOR					
Five-cent pieces ..	379,305.00	231,200.00	81,380.00	691,885.00	13,837,700
One-cent pieces ..	652,521.00	124,350.00	564,450.00	1,341,321.00	134,132,100
Total Minor ...	1,031,826.00	355,550.00	645,830.00	2,033,206.00	147,969,800
Total Domestic Coinage	\$1,747,623.75	\$1,064,558.50	\$5,510,430.00	\$8,322,612.25	186,334,562
Coinage Executed for Foreign Governments — None					

Notes & Queries

Uncut Sheets of Currency

Dear Sir:

Recently I asked our Congressman, Paul F. Schenck, to get for me an uncut sheet of currency from the U. S. Treasury, as I am contemplating a picture frame display of U. S. Currency for National Coin Week this year. Now Congressman Schenck informs me, as a result of the recent theft at the Bureau of Printing and Engraving, that the Secretary of the Treasury issued an order the first of January that no more currency be released in uncut sheets. This was done as an additional safeguard and protection to the currency now in circulation. I appreciate why it was felt wise to take this action, but I don't think it is fair to coin collectors to be deprived of this privilege, just because of a few dishonest people. I suggest, that the collectors or dealers who are interested, either write to the Secretary of the Treasury or their Congressman and maybe there will be a change in policy. I am sure that a lot of collectors are interested in uncut sheets and any assistance on this will be appreciated by all.

—JOS. A. MORITZ, A.N.A. 18667,
203 Hopeland St.,
Dayton 8, Ohio.

"In God We Trust" on U.S. Currency?

The movement to place the motto "In God We Trust" on American currency is gaining momentum, according to Matt H. Rothert, Camden, Arkansas. Support has come from many quarters, although some opposition has developed. In the drive to bring about acceptance by the federal government, Mr. Rothert urges intensified efforts by those who favor the idea. A Life Member (No. 219) of the A.N.A., President of the Arkansas Numismatic Society, and member of the Chicago Coin Club, he first proposed the use of the motto on our paper money in letters to the Secretary of the Treasury, several senators and congressmen, and his good friend, Secretary of Commerce Sinclair Weeks. The Treasury Department has the matter under consideration.

Referring to a recent statement by Charles A. Lindbergh that "Spiritual truth is more essential to a Nation

than the mortar in its city walls," Mr. Rothert says "There is no better way for us to show this than to put the words 'In God We Trust' on our paper money . . . Coin clubs and individual members who feel the urge to have our great country associated with a Christian motto which states that we have faith in the Lord and put our trust in the Almighty (as exemplified in the Bible in the Twenty-third Psalm) should write direct to the Secretary of the Treasury, Honorable G. W. Humphrey, or direct to President Eisenhower."

A 1915 Standing Liberty Half Dollar?

Dear Mr. Mosher:

I am the President-elect of the Inland Empire Coin Club centered in Spokane. We are only a year old but should exceed 100 members by the end of March as we are very active and enthusiastic.

One of our members brought in a Standing Liberty half dollar in very good to fine condition with the date 1915. It doesn't show evidence of having been worked over as to date and we are wondering about it. As we are mostly collectors of rather limited experience and limited numismatic knowledge we are seeking information about it. I have no doubt some mention may have been made in the numismatic press about it if this coin was faked in any quantities and in that event, we thought perhaps some A.N.A. member might know, or could refer us to a source. We will appreciate suggestions.

—LESTER L. GREENWOOD,
W. 2708 Providence Ave.,
Spokane, Washington

A Junior Collector on Cleaning Coins

Dear Sir:

I have been experimenting with a process which has shown amazing results. It is a mixture to change dull uncirculated copper and bronze coins into brilliant condition. Perhaps other collectors may benefit from it, but before explaining the process I must say that I cannot guarantee it to be perfect. I suggest trying it out first on a copper or bronze coin of little value that is in dull uncirculated condition.

Materials: Two cups or small bowls,

pair of tweezers with a cloth wrapped around the tongs, alcohol, cream of tartar, and a soft cloth.

The process: Put one-half cup of water and one teaspoon cream of tartar into one bowl and one-half cup of alcohol in the other. Stir the mixture of cream of tartar and dip one of two dull uncirculated copper coins into it. Let the cream of tartar settle on the obverse of the coin for about 20 seconds. Do the same on the reverse. Remove it and let cold water run over the piece for about ten seconds before drying it. Dip the coin into the alcohol, take it out, and dry it with one end of the soft cloth. Repeat this three or four times. Then shine with the dry end of the cloth.

The processed coin should have a brilliant, almost proof-like, surface. The difference between the two coins can be seen plainly. Be sure not to scratch the coin as any scratches or abrasions cannot be removed.

My father became a member of the A.N.A. for me as I am not old enough and the number below is his. I would appreciate any suggestions, criticism, opinions, or results on the process.

— JOHNNY JENKINS,
A.N.A. 21565, age 13
P.O. Box 2183
Beaumont, Texas

An Appreciation

Dear Mr. Mosher:

As we approach the end of 1953, it seems like a good time to send you a note of appreciation for my having received the benefits, through *The Numismatist*, of your fine efforts and ability as an editor and a numismatist throughout the year. In the note which you so kindly sent me some months ago you suggested that I try my hand at an article but, despite a sporadic effort at locating a subject that might be appropriate for me, I have not yet "landed" one. I have a few tentative ideas, however, and may yet come through for you.

For those of us who do not get a chance to attend national conventions, *The Numismatist* is often our only tangible link with the national organization. With ideas in the field that go beyond the mere collecting of modern U. S. coins, I feel that we are all specially favored in having someone like you, who not only has an ability to write, but also has your great knowledge and experience in coins. In reading through past year-volumes of *The Numismatist*, I have

learned to look for your book reviews and auction reports with particular pleasure, and to the evidences of your hand in the other departments.

Best wishes of the holiday season.

— CARL WESTMARK, M.D.
A.N.A. No. 20381.

New Transportation Tokens

The Editor:

The Cincinnati, Newport, and Covington Railway Co., better known as the Green Line, has recently issued two new varieties of transportation tokens. The large size token, approximately $\frac{7}{8}$ inches in diameter, was issued for intrastate fares between the northern Kentucky communities of Kenton and Campbell counties. The smaller one, about $\frac{5}{8}$ inches in diameter, was issued to facilitate interstate fares between the communities of northern Kentucky and the Cincinnati, Ohio terminal on the other side of the Ohio river.

I will be glad to supply these tokens to collectors at cost plus a stamped self-addressed envelope. The large tokens sell for 15c or two for a quarter. The small ones also sell for 15c apiece or two for 30c. I can supply one of each type for 30c.

— JACK HEUSER,
334 Montclair Ave.,
Ludlow, Kentucky.

New York Numismatic Club Medals

Dear Mr. Mosher:

In accordance with its custom, The New York Numismatic Club is preparing a medal of its past President, Martin Kortjohn. Inasmuch as Mr. Kortjohn was an officer of The American Numismatic Association, we believe that many A.N.A. members may be interested.

The medal, which is very attractive, will be available in silver and in bronze. Will anyone who wishes to obtain one please communicate with the undersigned?

— E. K. HESSBERG,
Secretary-Treasurer,
New York Numismatic Club,
321 W. 44th St.,
New York 36, N. Y.

President Vetoes Commemorative Bills

President Eisenhower on February 3, 1954, vetoed three bills passed by Congress authorizing commemorative half dollars (Tercentennials of New York City and Northampton, Mass., and Sesquicentennial of the Louisiana

Purchase). His reasons were given in this message:

"The principal objection to commemorative coins is that they detract from the fundamental function of the coinage as a medium of exchange. Multiplicity of designs on United States coins would tend to create confusion among the public, and to facilitate counterfeiting. The Congress recognized the necessity for limiting the designs of coins by section 3510 of the Revised Statutes which provides that '... no change in the design or die of any coin shall be made oftener than once in twenty-five years from and including the year of the first adoption of the design, model, die, or hub for the same coin. ...'

"I am further advised by the Treasury Department that in the past in many instances the public interest in these special coins has been so short-lived that their sales for the purposes intended have lagged with the result that large quantities have remained unsold and have been returned to the mints for melting.

"I fully recognize the importance to the country of the event which this coin would commemorate. I recognize, too, that the authorization of 1 or 2 or 3 of such issues of coins would not do major harm. However, experience has demonstrated that the authorization of even a single commemorative issue brings forth a flood of other authorizations to commemorate events or anniversaries of local or national importance. In the administration of President Hoover these authorizations multiplied to the point where he felt compelled to exercise his veto. The same pattern recurred in the administrations of Presidents Roosevelt and Truman. In view of this historical pattern, which by now has become so clear, I think that it is both wiser and fairer to make known my views on this subject at the outset. I therefore regretfully withhold my approval. ...

"As has been suggested in the past, it seems to me wholly appropriate that anniversaries ... which the Congress deems it desirable to commemorate should be recognized by bills authorizing the Treasury to provide suitable commemorative medals at cost."

Two other similar bills are pending: H. R. 6879 for Gen. Pershing halves; and H. R. 7542 and H. R. 7549, both calling for halves commemorating the migration of the Acadians from Nova Scotia to Louisiana.

The Boosel Mint

Friends of the Harry X Boosels received this announcement recently:

New Issue — Just Arrived

11 January 1954

Nancy Yvette

Product of the Boosel Mint

Tillie S. and Harry X (Engravers)

Weight: 6 lbs. 3 oz. (24 Carat)

Strictly Uncirculated — Mint Condition
(but not for sale)

May be seen after 1 February, 1954

2635 West Balmoral Avenue

Chicago 25

H. L. P. Brand Forms New Firm

Horace L. P. Brand of Chicago reports he will shortly incorporate the Gibraltar Coin Company. His grandson, Michael Brand Zeddies, will have charge of the retail department, handling especially coins of the United States, Canada, Newfoundland, Mexico, West Indies and Central America. Mr. Brand is particularly interested in coins of the North American continent, and will make available their general issues and information of importance concerning them. The same attention will later be paid to South America. In the past Mr. Brand confined his own clientele to dealers, and he expects to continue to do so.

Do You Want Japanese Coins?

The Editor:

At this writing I have been in Japan for a little over a year and it has taken me that long to find adequate access to coins of that country. I speak mostly of old, out of date coins, since they are my primary concern in the numismatic field. If any collectors wish to have coins of this country I would be more than happy to try to obtain some for them. The present coinage of Japan is not very extensive. I have been able to procure a limited number of coins, however, minted in years before those now in use. Coins of the silver dollar size (One yen, Meiji period) are not too difficult to obtain in fine to extra fine condition. Anyone wishing coins of Japan may send his request to me.

— CAPT. RICHARD R. DE LONG,
USAF, Box 350,
34th T. C. Sq.,
APO 963, c/o Postmaster,
San Francisco, California.

NOTES FROM YOUR LIBRARIAN

MRS. D. DEE DE NISE, 139 East 116th Street, Seattle 55, Wash.

Lately I have been thinking about ways to make club meetings more varied and interesting, and I offer this idea for what it is worth. Have you ever tried a ten-minute-or-so book review on some Numismatic Publication? I will list a few books of varied types, about which some member who likes to read could easily talk for a short book-review period.

1. TREASURY OF THE WORLD'S COINS - Reinfeld (R-65).
2. JAPANESE COINAGE - Jacobs and Vermeule (J-20).
3. CHATS ON OLD COINS - Burgess (B-31).
4. UNITED STATES COMMEMORATIVE COINS - Bullowa (B-46).
5. DICTIONARY OF NUMISMATIC NAMES - Frey (F-17).
6. EARLY SILVER DOLLARS OF THE U. S. - Bolender (B-75).
7. GREEK COINS AND THEIR PARENT CITIES - Ward (W-36).
8. ENGLISH COINS - Brooke (B-28).
9. DICTIONARY OF ROMAN COINS - Stevenson (S-17).
10. U. S. LARGE CENTS - Sheldon (S-112).

To continue with this thought, a specialist in any given series could review a book on that series, using some of his coins to give added interest to his talk. It would be quite an accomplishment if we could get our club exhibitors to refrain from saying something like this: "Well, I just brought a few tokens (or coins) I got last week. I don't know what they are or anything about them, but they're Hard Times or Civil War or something like that. All I know is, they cost too darn much!" If the same exhibitor read up a little on his coins or tokens, he might find out that they didn't "cost too darn much," or if they did, he might find out what to pay the next time.

We have some new books for you. From the Sterling Publishing Company we have received a DeLuxe copy of TREASURY OF THE WORLD'S COINS by Fred Reinfeld. (R-65). This book of 224 pages contains short histories of the coinage of nearly all the countries of the world, with hundreds of illustrations, and an excellent index. It is exactly the kind of a book we have been looking for to interest beginners in foreign coin collecting.

The new copy of the NEW ZEALAND NUMISMATIC JOURNAL (N-56) has arrived and contains articles on Parthian coinage of Phraates IV, Paper Cents used by the New Zealand forces, Medals as a link with British History, tokens of the eighteenth century, and Maori relief carving.

O. H. Lages of San Bernardino has sent a copy of the 1913 Mint Report of the United States (U-14, 1913) and W. G. Hankins of Kissimmee, Florida, has sent us one of the A.N.S. Numismatic Studies which we did not have, - THE NUMISMATIC HISTORY OF RAYY by George C. Miles. (M-104). This book on Arabian and Sassanian coins has 240 pages and six plates, and tables on dates, mint marks, and translations.

Those of you who are interested in the Countermarked coins of the Philippines will want to read the new bulletin of the Phil. Numismatic and Antiquarian Society (P-4) sent to us by Dr. P. I. DeJesus, who has written a supplement to his previous work on that subject. This is included in the bulletin along with an article entitled "Further Report on the Manila Hoard."

David Graham, who has just returned to Seattle from Formosa has donated two of George C. Miles' books published by the A.N.S. - FATIMID COINS (M-98) and EARLY ARABIC GLASS WEIGHTS AND STAMPS (M-89).

From James Kelly of Dayton, Ohio has come a beautifully bound Catalogue of the U. of Penna. - Otto Heaton Sale in June, 1953. (K-18). The prices are bound in. There are seventeen plates, and a wonderful assortment of crowns and multiples.

Stack's of New York has sent a copy of THE MAN IN THE ROMAN STREET by Harold Mattingly (M-50). This book is intended primarily for background study, and some of the chapter headings are as follows: Languages and Forms of Thought; The Religion of the Empire; Minor Deities and Virtues; Religion and State; The Content of Peace: Science, Art, Literature; Private Life, etc.

Dr. Evan Basinger of Bluffton, Ohio and Dr. Mayer Hyman of Tucson, Arizona have sent us many back issues of the Numismatist, Scrapbook, Seaby's Bulletin, and other periodicals.

Organization Directory

ONLY THOSE CLUBS AFFILIATED WITH THE A.N.A. ARE LISTED

Club Secretaries should notify the General Secretary of any errors or omissions, and any changes that should be made in next edition of this Directory.

- Akron Coin Club, Akron, Ohio** — Meets third Monday of each month at the Portage Hotel, Akron, 8 p.m. Visitors welcome. B. D. Fuller, Secy., 1238 Manchester Rd., Akron, Ohio.
- Albany Numismatic Society** — Meets second and fourth Thursdays (except during July and August) at the Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave. Miss Anna Imfeld, Secy., 107 Sanders Ave., Scotia 2, N. Y.
- Allen County Coin Club** — Meets first Wednesday evening of each month at The Ohio Power Company, 216 N. Elizabeth St., Lima, Ohio. Mrs. Tressie Burke, Secy., 274½ S. Pine St., Lima, Ohio.
- American Numismatic Association** — Meets annually in convention. Lewis M. Reagan, General Secretary, P. O. Box 577, Wichita 1, Kansas.
- American Numismatic Society, New York City** — Meets four times annually at its building, Broadway at 156th St., New York 32, N. Y. Sawyer McA. Mosser, Secretary.
- American Vecturist Association** (a national organization of collectors of transportation tokens) — Meets in convention annually on first Saturday and Sunday in August. Max M. Schwartz, Secretary, 130 West 42nd St., New York 36, N. Y.
- Ann Arbor Coin Club** — Miss Dorothy Markham, Secretary, 333 South Division, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
- Arkansas Numismatic Society** — Meets quarterly. Dr. Randolph T. Smith, Secretary, 904 Donaghey Bldg., Little Rock, Ark.
- Arkansas Valley Coin Club** — Meets first Wednesday of each month. Herman L. Boraker, Secy., P. O. Box 204, Rocky Ford, Colo.
- Armstrong Activities Association** — A. H. Spinner, Armstrong Cork Co., Lancaster, Pa.
- Asheville Coin Club** — Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Wachovia Bank. Hanson C. Miller, Secy., P. O. Box 8025, Asheville, N. C.
- Ashland Coin Club** — Meets second and third Tuesday night of each month except July and August. Doyle Beecher, Secretary, 693 Hale Avenue, Ashland, Ohio.
- Atlanta Coin Club** — Meets second Tuesday of each month at Henry Grady Hotel, J. R. Leimenstoll, Secy., 108 Elizabeth St., N.E., Atlanta, Ga.
- Baltimore Coin Club** — Meets 8 p.m. first and third Tuesdays of each month at Peale Museum, 225 N. Holiday St., Baltimore. Herbert Phillips, Secy., 3303 Walbrook Ave., Baltimore 16, Md.
- Baton Rouge Coin Club** — Meets second Thursday of each month at 717 La. National Bank Building, Baton Rouge. Miss Alison Moore, Secretary, (same address).
- Bay Cities Coin Club** — Meets second Thursday of each month at 2132 Pier Ave., Santa Monica, Calif. Roscoe Fuls, Secy., 11909 Vanowen, North Hollywood, Calif.
- Bell Laboratories Coin Club** — Rachel Pike, Secy., 463 West St., New York 14, N. Y.
- Birmingham Coin Club** — Meets third Tuesday of each month in the Auditorium of the White Dairy Co., 621 South 27th Street. M. Halsey Townes, Secy., 4324 Cliff Road, Birmingham, Ala.
- Boston Numismatic Society** — Meets first Tuesday of the month at Sheraton-Plaza Hotel, Boston. Lewis W. Pollard, Secy., 1769 Washington St., South Braintree 85, Mass.
- Bronx (New York) Coin Club** — Meets fourth Wednesday of each month at Concourse Plaza Hotel, 161st Street and Grand Concourse, the Bronx. Martin F. Kortjohn, Secretary, 10 East 40 Street, New York 16, New York.
- Brookline Coin Club** — John Keane, Secy., 824 Brookline Blvd., Pittsburgh 26, Pa.
- Brooklyn Coin Club** — Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Hotel Granada, Lafayette Ave., and Ashland Place, Brooklyn, N. Y. Nathan E. Heft, Secretary, 316 Plymouth St., West Hempstead, N. Y.
- Buffalo Numismatic Association** — Meets the first Monday of each month at the Hotel Touraine at 8 p.m. Henry M. Myers, Secy., 92 Roebling Ave., Buffalo 15, N. Y.
- Burlington Coin Club** — Meets fourth Tuesday of each month. Mrs. Ebert Mischmeier, Secy., 907 N. Central, Burlington, Iowa.
- Butler Coin Club** — Meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at the home of Thomas A. Morrison, 117 South Washington St. Lyle L. McMahan, Route 10, Butler, Pa.
- California State Numismatic Association** — Meets semiannually in convention. Robert G. McArthur, Secretary, 2419 Humboldt Avenue, Oakland 1, California.
- Calumet Numismatic Club** — Meets third Wednesday of each month at the East Chicago Chamber of Commerce Offices, Elks Club Building, 4618 Magoun Avenue, E. Chicago, Indiana at 8 p.m. Ralph O. Jarvis, Secretary, 4618 Magoun Avenue, E. Chicago, Indiana.
- Canton Coin Club, Canton, Ohio** — Meets second Tuesday at the Y.M.C.A. Ernest E. Johnson, Secretary, 1425 Banner Ct., N.W., Canton 3, Ohio.
- Cape Cod Coin Club** — Walter S. Hastings, Secretary, 461 Main Street, Hyannis, Mass.
- Capitol City Coin Club of Sacramento** — Dan M. Jacobson, Secretary, Box 547, West Sacramento, Calif.
- Cedar City Coin Club** — C. E. Brandenburg, Secretary, Box 148, Lebanon, Ohio.
- Cedar Rapids Coin Club** — Leo R. Sears, Secy., 1615 C Ave., N.W., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
- Central Illinois Numismatic Society** — Meetings held the first Tuesday of each month. Glenn W. Gragg, Secretary, 1720 South 4th Street, Springfield, Ill.
- Central States Numismatic Society** — Paul H. Ginther, Secretary, New Holland, Ill.
- Champaign-Urbana Coin Club** — Claud V. Myers, Secretary, 612 N. Swigart Ave., Champaign, Illinois.
- Charlotte Coin Club, N. C.** — Meets first Monday of each month at 501 Johnson Bldg. R. T. Kirkland, Secretary, 1420 Ivey Drive, Charlotte, N. C.

- Chattanooga Coin Club** - Meets third Wednesday of each month at North Chattanooga Hamilton National Bank Bldg. Ann E. McNabb, Secretary, 208 Medical Arts Building, Chattanooga 3, Tenn.
- Cheshire County Numismatic Society** - Meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Thayer Public Library in Keene, N. H. Mrs. Christine MacPherson, Secretary, 8 June Street, Keene, N. H.
- Chicago Coin Club** - Meets the second Wednesday each month at the LaSalle Hotel. Theo. H. Rich, Secy., 6604 S. Maplewood Ave., Chicago 29, Ill.
- Chittenden County Coin Club** - Charles Brunette, Secretary, 43 South Union St., Burlington, Vt.
- Cincinnati Numismatic Association** - Meets second Friday of each month at Hotel Metropole. Walter Broker, Secy., 3427 Paxton Road, Cincinnati 8, Ohio.
- Clearwater Coin and Stamp Club** - Meets in Chamber of Commerce Building, first and third Mondays. Visitors welcome. Mrs. Robert Kubach, Secy., P.O. Box 792, Largo, Fla.
- Cleveland Coin Club** - Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Hotel Carter. Matt. J. Gazso, Secretary, 4206 W. 208th St., Cleveland 26, Ohio.
- Cloister Coin Club** - Meets last Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at Ephrata Recreation Center, 29 Cloister Ave., Ephrata, Pa. Robert M. Ramsay, Secy., R.D. 1, Paradise, Penna.
- Coin Collectors' Club** - George Simpson, Sponsor - Shawnee Mission High School, Merriam, Kansas.
- Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association** - C. G. Klein, Secretary, 7706 Robinson Way, Arvada, Colo.
- Columbus Numismatic Society** - Meets second Monday of each month at the Nell House, Columbus, Ohio. Ellis W. Campbell, Secy., 1366 Melrose Ave., Columbus, Ohio.
- Convoir Coin Club** - 4510 Campo Drive, San Diego 15, Calif.
- Corn Belt Coin Club** - Meets first Monday of each month at 118 E. Front St., Bloomington, Ill. Tom Hildebrand, Secy., 120 N. Center St., Bloomington, Ill.
- Corpus Christi Coin Club** - T. Walker, Secy., c/o G. B. Diamond, 423 Peoples St., Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Cortland Coin Club** - Meets the first Thursday of each month at Hotel Cortland. Alec R. Seymour, Secretary, 70 Port Watson Street, Cortland, New York.
- Crescent City Coin Club** - William P. Miles, Secy., 711 Whitney Bldg., New Orleans 12, La.
- Dallas Coin Club** - Meets third Thursday of each month at Hotel Baker. Victor J. Toogood, Secretary, 339 N. Marsalis Ave., Dallas, Texas.
- Daniel Boone Coin Club** - William J. Allen, Secy., 116 W. Innes St., Salisbury, N. C.
- David City Coin Club** - Loyd B. Gettys, Secretary, Box 320, David City, Nebraska.
- Dayton Coin Club** - Meets first Thursday of each month at the Miami Hotel, Dayton, Ohio. Howard DeHart, Secretary, 28 S. Miami St., West Milton, Ohio.
- Daytona Beach Numismatic Club** - Meets second Wednesday of each month alternating between Daytona Beach, New Smyrna Beach and Deland, Fla. Contact Harley L. Freeman, Secretary, 353 South Atlantic Avenue, Ormond Beach, Fla.
- Delaware Numismatic Association** - David Amos, Secretary, 1705 Linden Street, Wilmington, Delaware.
- Delaware Valley Coin Club** - Meets the third Monday each month at 8 p.m. at Woodbury, N. J. YMCA "Barn," 1½ Blocks below Red Bank Ave., off Francis Ave. Elizabeth S. Steelman, Secy., c/o The Deptford Institute Free Library, Woodbury, N. J.
- Des Moines Coin Club** - Meets the first Friday of each month at YMCA Building. Hillis Noon, Secy., 1103 22nd St., Des Moines, Iowa.
- Detroit Coin Club** - Meets on the first and third Thursday of each month at the Wolverine Hotel located at Elizabeth and Witherell St., Detroit, Mich. James B. Perna, Secy., 9585 Montrose, Detroit 27, Mich.
- Du Page Coin Club** - R. P. Makela, Secy., 848 55th St., Downers Grove, Ill.
- Eagle Coin Club** - Meets third Saturday of each month at Chamber of Commerce Bldg., West Center St., Lexington, N. C. J. S. Bishop, Secretary, RFD 4, Lexington, N. C.
- East Bay Coin Club, Oakland, Calif.** - Mary Goodrich, Secy., 2865 E. 16th St., Oakland 1, Calif.
- East Liverpool Coin Club** - Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Y.M.C.A., East Liverpool, Ohio. Paul C. Wolf, Secy., 217 Market St., East Liverpool, Ohio.
- Evergreen Coin Club** - Meets third Thursday of each month at the Borst Park Community House, Centralia, Washington. Haven Petersen, Secy., Route 1, Box 52A, Chehalis, Wash.
- Fairfield Coin Club** - Meets fourth Monday of each month at the Browning Studios at 8 p.m. Keith A. Prizer, Secretary, 607 South Main, Fairfield, Iowa.
- Fairfield County Numismatic Association, Bridgeport, Conn.** - Meets the third Monday of each month at 925 Main St., Bridgeport, Conn. J. Norman Crosby, Secy., 265 Washington Ave., Apt. C3, Bridgeport 4, Conn.
- Fairmount Coin Club** - Sidell, Illinois. P. L. Davison, Secretary, Fairmount, Ill.
- Finger Lakes Numismatic Association** - Charles C. Vorhis, Secy., Brooktondale, N. Y.
- Flint Stamp & Coin Club** - Meets first and third Tuesdays at Y.M.C.A., 218 E. Kearsley Avenue. Albert Mackelwich, Secy., 1096 E. Bristol Road, Flint 7, Mich.
- Four County Coin Club** - George E. Foster, Secy., 13 Ross St., Batavia, N. Y.
- Fugio Club of Shreveport** - Meets second Monday of each month in the directors' room of the Commercial National Bank. Thos. E. McIver, Secretary, P. O. Box 1414, Shreveport, La.
- Garden Grove Coin Club** - Meets first Thursday at Garden Grove, Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Garden Grove Blvd. James Rock, Secy., 13111 S. Wilson St., Garden Grove, Calif.
- Gold Star Coin Club** - Mrs. J. C. Brines, Secy., Route 12, Box 75, Concord, N. H.
- Grand Rapids Coin Club** - Dr. Ronald H. Miller, Secy., 200 Medical Arts Bldg., Grand Rapids 2, Mich.
- Greeley Coin Club** - Meets second Monday of each month at the Home Gas and Electric Lounge. R. A. Smith, Secretary, 604 16th St., Greeley, Colo.

Greensboro Coin Club - J. W. B. Bason, Secy., P. O. Box 1066, Greensboro, N. C.

Greenville Coin Club, Greenville, Pa. - Meets second Thursday of each month except July, August and September at the Recreation Center, Riverside Park, Greenville. Earl Keck, Secretary, 17 York Street, Greenville, Pa.

Hamilton Coin Club, Ohio - Meets second Thursday each month at the Y.M.C.A. Carl O. Schwab, Secretary, 630 South 4th Street, Hamilton, Ohio.

Hanford (California) Coin Club - Meets first Tuesday of each month in Hotel Whilston, 125 N. Irwin St. Fred E. Tinkham, Secretary, P. O. Box 1105, Merced, Calif.

Harrisburg Coin Club - James N. Wagner, Secy., 1007 Bridge St., New Cumberland, Pennsylvania.

Hartford Numismatic Society - Meets the third Wednesday of each month at the Connecticut Historical Society, 1 Elizabeth St., Hartford Conn. Robert B. Gerrish, Secy., 235 Main St., Apt. 5H2, East Hartford 8, Conn.

Hawthorne Coin Club - Meets first Friday of each month at the Western Electric Co.'s Hawthorne Works, Chicago, Ill. Harold Mareska, Secretary, 2623 South Drake Avenue, Chicago 23, Ill.

Heart of America Numismatic Association - Meets third Monday of each month at Elks Club, 19 E. Armour Blvd., Kansas City, Mo. Perry Swofford, Secretary, 1963 N. 5th St., Kansas City 2, Kans.

Hollywood Academy of Numismatics - Karl M. Brainard, Secretary, 2308 32nd St., Santa Monica, Calif.

Hudson Valley Coin Club - Meets the third Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p.m. at Kingston, Y.M.C.A. Earle D. Sherwood, Secretary, P. O. Box 157, Hurley, New York.

Huntington Coin Club - Meets second Tuesday at Clubroom of Public Library, 8 p.m. Simpson Tomkies, Secy., 166 Woodland Drive, Huntington, W. Va.

Illinois Valley Coin Club - Meets monthly. Gordon R. Tucker, Secretary, 115 West Kent Street, Streator, Illinois.

Indianapolis Coin Club - Meets fourth Wednesday each month (except November and December third Wednesday) at the Washington Hotel. Gordon H. Derby, Secy., 4202 Carson Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Inland Empire Coin Club - Mrs. Arlene McKee, Secy., 1402 Old National Bank Bldg., Spokane, Wash.

Iowa Numismatic Association - State convention held in May and November. Mrs. Elizabeth Laurent, Secretary, 212 28th Ave., N., Clinton, Iowa.

Jackson-Mississippi Coin Club - Meets monthly. James E. Mullen, Secretary, 4025 Hanging Moss Road, Jackson 6, Mississippi.

Jacksonville Coin Club - Meets second Thursday of each month at Seminole Hotel. J. P. H. DePass, Corresponding Secy., 410 E. Church St., Jacksonville, Fla.

Jersey City Coin Club - Harry C. Mathews, Secretary, 227 Woodlawn Ave., Jersey City 5, New Jersey.

Johnstown Numismatic Club - Charles A. Kantz, Secretary, 473 Edward St., Johnstown, Pa.

Joplin Coin Club - Meets the first Monday of each month at the Elks Club, Joplin, Missouri. John J. Sohowsky, Sr., Secretary, P. O. Box 1124, Joplin, Mo.

Kanawha Valley Coin Club - Earle P. Smith, Jr., Secretary, 1214 Homer St., Charleston 2, W. Va.

Kankakee County Coin Club - B. M. Van Matre, Secy., Manteno, Ill.

King Beaver Coin Club - Dr. J. O. Sloss, Secretary, 1417 3rd St., Beaver, Pa.

Lansing Coin Club - Ivan R. Lootens, Secy., Rt. 1 Box 204-B, Lansing 6, Mich.

Lehigh Valley Coin Club - Meets third Thursday of each month; the meetings rotating between Palmerton, Bethlehem, Stroudsburg, and Allentown, Pa. Luther J. Deck, Secy., 1037 Turner St., Allentown, Pa.

Lincoln Coin Club - Martin E. Burgess, Secy., 3727 Everett St., Lincoln 10, Neb.

Litchfield County Coin Club - Andrew J. Rusbasan, Secy., 654 Prospect St., Torrington, Conn.

Long Beach Coin Club - James E. Heavener, Jr., Secretary, 823 Daisy Ave., Long Beach 13, Calif.

Long Island Coin Club - Meets every month on the last Friday at 8:30 p.m. at the New Court Diner, opposite the new courthouse, on Old Country road in Mineola, N. Y. Arthur D. Phillips, Secy., 181 Shepherd Lane, Roslyn Heights, N. Y.

Los Angeles Coin Club - Meets the first Friday of each month at 1329 S. Hope St. William H. Spence, Secy., 1656 S. Stanley Ave., Los Angeles 19, Calif.

Madison Coin Club - Meets the first Tuesday of each month at 8 p.m. at 30 E. Mifflin St., Madison, Wis. Gordon Gill, Secy., 3614 Spring Trail, Madison, Wis.

Main Line Coin Club - Miss Marguerite Pritchard, Secretary, 149 W. Lincoln Highway, Paoli, Pa.

Martin Coin Club - Recreation Dept., Glenn L. Martin Co., Baltimore 3, Md. James T. Hudson, Secretary, Glenn L. Martin Co., Baltimore, Maryland.

Maryland Numismatic Society - Jerry B. Cohen, Secy., 5703 Chilham Rd., Baltimore 9, Md.

Marysville Numismatic Society - Meets the fourth Wednesday of the month at the County Commissioners Room in the Court House. Dana C. Green, Secy., 202½ W. 3rd St., Marysville, Ohio.

Memphis Coin Club - W. H. Broderick, Secy., DeSota Box 2272, Memphis 2, Tenn.

Merced Numismatic Society - Fred E. Tinkham, Secy., Box 1132, Merced, Calif.

Meriden Coin Club - Rose Ford, Secy., 197 Cook Ave., Meriden, Conn.

Miami Coin Club - S. Leo McGranaghan, Secy., 45 N.W. First St., Miami 32, Fla.

Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association - Eldridge Jones, Secy., 4228 19th St. N.E., Washington 18, D. C.

Milwaukee Numismatic Society - Meets third Friday of each month at Red Arrow Club, 774 North Broadway. E. C. Gerber, Secy., 2746 N. 7th St., Milwaukee, Wis.

Minisink Coin Club - Howard Vollmer, Secy., 6 Front St., Port Jervis, N. Y.

Minnequa Coin Club - August Carlson, Secretary, 1717 Claremont, Pueblo, Colo.

Missouri Numismatic Society - Meets second Monday of each month at Hotel Kingsway, 108 N. Kingshighway, St. Louis, Mo. W. G. Arnold, Secy., 410 S. Virginia Ave., Belleville, Ill.

- Monroe County Coin Club** — Meets second Wednesday of each month, with rotation between Stroudsburg, Portland, Mt. Pacano and Delaware Water Gap. C. Burton Altemose, Secretary, 717 Sarah Street, Stroudsburg, Pa.
- Monticello Coin Club** — Laurence A. Davis, Secy., P. O. Box 1102, Charlottesville, Va.
- Nashville Coin Club** — Meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the James Robertson Hotel, 7:30 p.m. Wm. C. Jergerson, Jr., Secretary, Iroquias Avenue, Nashville 5, Tenn.
- Naugatuck Valley Numismatic Association** — Adrian Olson, Secretary, Naugatuck, Conn.
- New Castle Coin Club** — Meets the second Friday night of each month at 8 p.m. at the New Castle YMCA. Elmer T. Tintman, Secy., RFD #3, New Castle, Pa.
- New England Numismatic Association** — Miss Eloise Cloues, Secy., 88 Elm St., Worcester, Mass.
- New Hampshire Collectors Club** — Meets monthly in Concord, N. H. Mrs. William T. Sinclair, Secretary, 22 North Spring Street, Concord, N. H.
- New Haven Numismatic Society** — Meets fourth Monday of each month at 152 Temple St. Pat Maffeo, Secy., 145 Kimberly Ave., New Haven, Conn.
- New Jersey Numismatic Society** — Meets second Thursday of each month at Newark Athletic Club, 16 Park Place, Newark. Anton C. Mayer, Secy., 241 Marlboro Rd., Woodbridge, N. J.
- New Mexico Coin Club** — Mrs. Floyd Miller, Secy., 822 Gold Ave., SW, Albuquerque, N. M.
- New York Numismatic Club, New York City** — Meets second Friday of each month. Edward K. Hessberg, Secy., 321 W. 44th St., New York 36, N. Y.
- North Dakota Coin Club** — Meets last Tuesday of each month. Mrs. Hugh Mangskau, Secy., 902 Crescent Lane, Bismarck, N. D.
- North Penn Stamp and Coin Club** — Meets third Tuesday of each month at Quakertown (Pa.) Airport at 8 p.m. Victor M. Nice, Secy., 302 Main St., Souderton, Pa.
- Northwest Coin Club** — Irving R. Beery, Secy., 48 Oliver Ave., Minneapolis 5, Minn.
- Norwood Coin Club** — Richard E. Dusterberg, Secy., 6116 Tulane Rd., Cincinnati 13, Ohio.
- Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia** — Meets six or seven times during the winter by invitation of individual members at their homes or clubs. M. Wistar Wood, Secretary, Woodbrook, Ambler, Pa.
- Numismatic Society of Frederick, Md.** — Louise Schley Rhoads, Secretary, 127 E. Patrick St., Frederick, Md.
- Oak Park Coin Club** — John Giello, Secy., 320 S. Maplewood Ave., Chicago 12, Ill.
- Oakridge Coin Club** — Mrs. A. R. Sorensen, Secy., Box 394, Oakridge, Ore.
- Ocala Stamp and Coin Club** — Mrs. Lewis Whisman, Secretary, 226 Colfax Street, Ocala, Fla.
- Ohio State Numismatic Society** — C. H. Clark, Secretary, 923 High Street, Worthington, Ohio.
- Oklahoma City Coin Club** — Meets the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Hotel Biltmore. Mrs. Helen Canale, Secy., 908 E. Park, Oklahoma City, Okla.
- Oklahoma-Kansas Numismatic Association** — Mrs. Virginia A. Deebie, Secy., 511 Morrison, Salina, Kans.
- Omaha Coin Club** — Meets first Friday of each month at The Joslyn Memorial. Kenneth S. Dorr, Secretary, 4130 S. 22nd St., Omaha 7, Neb.
- Orange County Coin Club** — Meets fourth Wednesday of each month at the Women's Club House, Brea. Herbert M. Bergen, Secretary, 604 North Spadra Road, Fullerton, Calif.
- Orders and Medals Society of America** — Meets in annual convention. S. Gregory Yasinitsky, Secretary, 5000 California St., San Francisco 18, Calif.
- Oregon Numismatic Society** — Meets second Monday each month at Benson Hotel, Portland, Oregon. James J. Padden, Secy., Rt. 6, Box 550, Vancouver, Wash.
- Pacific Coast Numismatic Society** — Meets last Wednesday of each month at Palace Hotel, San Francisco. Roy Hill, Secy., 1140 Sutter St., San Francisco 9, Calif.
- Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association** — Mrs. D. Dee DeNise, Secy., 139 E. 116th St., Seattle 55, Wash.
- Panther Valley Coin Club** — K. C. Freeze, Secretary, Union Hill, Lehighton, Pa.
- Pasadena Coin Club** — Meets third Wednesday of each month at Pasadena City College in the Social Hall, Pasadena. Frederick Langford, Secretary, 100 East Colorado St., Room 2, Pasadena 1, Calif.
- Penn.-Ohio Coin Clubs** — Jackson B. Moody, Secy., 1513 Kennedy St., Youngstown, Ohio.
- Philadelphia Coin Club** — Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. George W. Magee, Jr., Secy., c/o Edward Stern & Co., 140 N. 6th St., Philadelphia 6, Pa.
- Philadelphia Electric Company Coin Club** — Meets first Tuesday of each month from October through May. Albert C. Lucas, Jr., Secy., c/o Philadelphia Electric Co., 17th Floor, Edison Bldg., 900 Sansom St., Philadelphia 5, Pa.
- Philadelphia Transportation Company Coin Club** — E. C. Frey, Secretary, 1405 Locust St., Philadelphia 2, Pa.
- Phoenix Coin Club** — Meets second Monday of each month at Phoenix Public Library. John O. Hughes, Secy., 501 W. Monte Vista, Phoenix, Ariz.
- Piedmont Numismatic Club** — Meets second Monday night of each month in Arts and Crafts Building at 8:00 p.m. Visitors welcome. c/o Bruce Brooks, Jr., 522 Stratford Road, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- Pikes Peak Coin Club** — Paul Rogers, Secy., 1615 N. Weber, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- Pingry School Coin Club** — c/o C. Elliott Knoke, 87 Parker Road, Elizabeth 3, N. J.
- Ponca City Coin Club** — A. H. Erwin, Secretary, 302 South Fourth Street, Ponca City, Okla.
- Pontiac Coin Club** — William Shirley, Secy., 312 Liberty St., Pontiac, Mich.
- Racine Numismatic Society** — Norbert Brusky, Secy., 1942 Grange Ave., Racine, Wis.
- Reading Coin Club, Reading, Pa.** — Meets second and fourth Mondays of each month at Reading Co. YMCA, 6th and Oley Sts. Eugene L. Greth, Secretary, Rd No. 1, Fleetwood, Pa.

- Redwood Empire Coin Club** — Meets third Tuesday of each month. Mrs. Alexandra W. Gahwiler, Secy., 103 Stanford St., Santa Rosa, Calif.
- Rhode Island, Coin Club of** — Meets the last Friday of each month at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel, Providence, R. I. Donald S. Wrathall, Secretary, 47 Common Street, Providence, R. I.
- Richmond Coin Club** — Meets second Wednesday of each month. J. A. Johnson, Jr., Secy., P.O. Box 22, Richmond 1, Va.
- Rochester Junior Numismatic Association** — Meets the first and third Tuesdays at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences. Michael Judd, Secy., 331 Plymouth Ave., South, Rochester 8, New York.
- Rochester Numismatic Association** — Meets the first and third Tuesday at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, July and August on third Tuesdays. Howard F. Osterman, Secretary, 433 Tarrington Road, Rochester 9, N. Y.
- Rocky Mountain Numismatic Society** — Meets second Thursday of the month at homes and/or offices of members by invitation. Robert W. Bromier, Secy., 325 E. 18th St., Denver, Colo.
- Salina Coin Club** — Meets first and third Mondays at Public Library. Mrs. Virginia A. Deeble, Secy., 511 Morrison, Salina, Kans.
- San Antonio Coin Club** — E. B. Parsons, Secretary, 835 West Lynwood Avenue, San Antonio 1, Texas.
- San Bernardino County Coin Club** — Meets on third Thursday of each month at Chamber of Commerce Bldg., 339 4th St., San Bernardino, Calif. Fred W. Coops, Secy., 524 4th St., San Bernardino, Calif.
- San Diego Numismatic Society** — Meets at the YMCA, 1115 8th Ave., San Diego, Calif., on the first Monday of each month at 8 p.m. Francis S. Jones, Secy., 120 Upas St., San Diego 3, Calif.
- San Fernando Valley Coin Club** — Mrs. Nellie Lewis, Secy., 122 S. Sparks St., Burbank, Calif.
- San Francisco Junior Coin Collectors of** — Roy Hill, Counselor, 1140 Sutter St., San Francisco 9, Calif.
- San Gabriel Valley Coin Club** — I. Newton Sanders, Secy., 2829 Midwick Drive, Alhambra, Calif.
- San Jose Coin Club** — Syl C. Tully, Jr., Secy., 454 Porter Ave., San Jose 28, Calif.
- Scranton Numismatic Association** — Meets third Thursday in each month at 8:00 p.m. at the Scranton Central Y.M.C.A. Building. Mrs. Ann Velon, Secy., Box 1042, Scranton, Penna.
- Seattle Coin Club** — Meets the last Thursday of each month at 8:00 o'clock at the Frye Hotel. David Graham, Secretary, 1947 7th Avenue, West, Seattle, Washington.
- Shenango Valley Coin Club** — Arden E. Gilson, Secy., 95 Agate Pl., Sharon, Pa.
- South Chicago Stamp & Coin Club** — Archie Hignett, Secy., 3030 E. 92nd St., Chicago 17, Ill.
- South Dakota Numismatic Society** — Albert N. Hanten, Secretary, White Lake, South Dakota.
- South Jersey Coin Club** — Hance Jacquet, Secy., 140 S. Broad St., Penns Grove, N. J.
- Springfield Coin Club** — Meets second Tuesday each month at the Museum of Fine Arts. Fred B. Finn, Secretary, 15 Conz St., Northampton, Mass.
- Stamp and Coin Club of Roanoke** — Meetings held the first Tuesday and the third Friday of each month at the beautiful Hotel Roanoke. Miss Marion E. Rochelle, Secretary, 1414 Eddy St., Salem, Va.
- St. Petersburg Coin Club** — Meets third Fridays in Municipal Bldg., Clarence Criswell, Secy., 2501 Pass-a-grille Way, Pass-a-grille Beach, Fla.
- Syracuse Numismatic Association, Syracuse, N. Y.** — Meets the third Friday of each month at the Onondaga Historical Association Museum at 311 Montgomery St. in Syracuse. Warren Hoxie, Secy., 200 Mains Ave., Syracuse, N. Y.
- Tampa Coin Club** — C. A. Brownell, Secy., P. O. Box 2543, Tampa, Fla.
- Telephone Company Stamp & Coin Club** — Plummer Wiley, Secy., 208 E. 31st St., Baltimore 18, Md.
- Toledo Coin Club** — Meets second Friday of each month in Toledo Room of Commadore Perry Hotel. Mrs. Gertrude McGeein, Secy., 322 South Ave., Toledo 9, Ohio.
- Topeka Coin Club** — F. L. Snider, Secy., 621 W. 10th St., Topeka, Kans.
- Treasure State Coin Club** — Mrs. H. R. Murray, Secretary, 3412 Fifth Avenue, North, N., Great Falls, Montana.
- Trenton Coin Club** — Walter Caines, Secy., 7 Eisenhower Ave., Trenton, N. J.
- Tri-City Coin Club** — Meets the third Thursday of each month in the second floor auditorium of the Illinois Gas & Electric Co., Moline, Ill. Larry A. Fritch, Secy., 1015 12th St., Rock Island, Ill.
- Triple Cities Coin Club** — Meets first Monday of each month. Mrs. C. A. Kilmer, Secy., Chenango Bridge, N. Y.
- Tulsa Coin Club** — Meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Mrs. Nellie B. Boucher, Secy., 1423 S. Gary St., Tulsa, Okla.
- Uncas Numismatic Association** — Meets the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Otis Library Bldg., Norwich, Conn. Harold P. Geibel, Secy., 33 Dennison Ave., Mystic, Conn.
- Utah Numismatic Society** — Richard S. Johnson, Secretary, P. O. Box 13, Salt Lake City 10, Utah.
- Virginia Peninsula Coin Club** — Ben M. Sugg, Secy., 364 LaSalle Ave., Hampton, Va.

- Washington Numismatic Society** – Meets first Monday of each month at the National Museum. Eldridge G. Jones, Secretary, 4228 19th St., NE, Washington 18, D. C.
- Waterbury Numismatic Society** – Meets at the Matatuck Historical Bldg., 119 West Main St. Fred Francis, Secy., c/o Mattatuck Historical Bldg., 119 W. Main St., Waterbury, Conn.
- Waterloo Coin Club, Waterloo, Iowa** – Meets first Friday of each month at Grout Room, Y.M.C.A., Waterloo, Iowa. Jesse Crawford, 177 Duryea St., Waterloo, Iowa.
- Westchester County Coin Club** – Meets third Tuesday of each month at Y. M. C. A., New Rochelle, N. Y. Jerome H. Brill, Secy., 121 Bon Air Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y.
- Western Maryland Coin Club** – Meets third Wednesday of each month at Central Y.M.C.A. M. L. Johnson, Secretary, P. O. Box 236, Cumberland, Md.
- Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society** – Meets first Tuesday each month at the University of Pittsburgh Cathedral of Learning. John S. Kachmar, Secretary, 324 Lincoln Avenue, Millvale, Pittsburgh 9, Pa.
- Western Reserve Numismatic Club of Cleveland** – Meets second Wednesday of each month at Hotel Carter. Clyde J. Drawing, Secretary, 3784 W. 137th St., Cleveland 11, Ohio.
- Whitefish Bay Coin Club** – Robert Rosenberg, Secretary, 5112 N. Lake Drive, Milwaukee 11, Wis.
- Wichita Coin Club** – Meets third Tuesday of each month. Roy M. Osburn, Secy., 1037 Mary's Drive, Wichita 12, Kansas.
- Wilkes Barre Coin Club** – Meets second Thursday of each month at the local Y.M.C.A. George P. Williams, Secretary, 40 Price Street, Kingston, Pa.
- Willamalane Coin Club** – Berneice N. Hamilton, Secy., 420 E. "F" St., Springfield, Ore.
- Worcester County Numismatic Society** – Meets second Friday of each month at Worcester Historical Society, 39 Salisbury St. Mrs. Roger H. Bryant, Secy., 39 Salisbury St., Worcester, Mass.
- York Coin Club** – A. M. Graff, Secretary, R. D. 1 (Kohler's Hill), York, Pa.
- Youngstown Junior Numismatic Club** – Bob McMasters, Secy., 418 Parkcliffe Ave., Youngstown, Ohio.
- Youngstown Numismatic Club** – Meets first Thursday of each month at the Y.M.C.A., N. Chestnut St. Jackson B. Moody, Secretary, 1513 Kennedy St., Youngstown, O.

Clubs Outside the United States

- Associação Brasileira de Numismática** – K. Prober, President, Caixa Postal 2113, Rio De Janeiro, Brazil.
- Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal** – L. A. Renaud, Curator, Chateau de Ramezay, Montreal, Canada.
- Cabinete Numismática de Catalunya** – c/o F. Xavier Calico, Plaza del Angel, Barcelona, Spain.
- Canadian Numismatic Association** – G. R. L. Potter, Secretary, 12 Dalhousie St., Ottawa, Canada.
- Centro Filatelico y Numismatico de Guayaquil** – P. O. Box No. 825, Guayaquil, Ecuador, South America.
- International Assn. of Professional Numismatists** – Dr. Herbert Cahn, Secretary, 25 Maltzgasse, Basel, Switzerland.
- Numismatic Society of Israel** – Leo Kadman, Secretary, P. O. Box 392, Tel-Aviv, Israel.
- Medway Towns Numismatic Society** – W. Woollett, Secretary, 11 Windsor Avenue, Chatham, England. A hearty invitation to visit them is extended to their American friends serving in England.
- Numismatic Society of New South Wales** – J. R. Stewart, Secretary, Department of History, University of Sydney, Sydney, N.S.W., Australia.
- Numismatic Society of South Australia** – Meets second Wednesday of each month. Particulars to be had from J. Hunt Deacon, the Overseas Secretary, c/o National Gallery, North Terrace, Adelaide, South Australia.
- Numismatisk Orden** – J. Pedersen, Secretary, Skolg 24, Boras, Sweden.
- Sociedad Ibero-Americana de Estudios Numismaticos (Madrid)** – F. Xavier Calico, Secy., Plaza Angel, Barcelona, Spain.
- Sociedad Numismática de Mexico** – J. Jesus Avalos Ortega, Secy., Venustiano Carranza Num. 69 Desp. 104, Mexico 1, D.F.
- Toronto Coin Club** – Meets the fourth Saturday of each month at 2 p.m. (with the exception of the December meeting) at the Royal York Hotel. Peter S. Favro, Secy., 160 Symon St., Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Philippine Numismatic and Antiquarian Society** – Meets monthly in Manila. A cordial invitation is extended to visitors. A. Bantung, Secretary, P. O. Box 2505, Manila, P. I.
- Royal Numismatic Society of New Zealand** – Meets last Monday of each month, March to November. Turnbull Library, Bowen St., Wellington. Allan Sutherland, Hon. Secy, Parliament Bldgs., Wellington.
- The Numismatic Association of Victoria** – Roy W. Farman, Hon. Secretary, 171 Lower Heidelberg Road, Ivanhoe, N. 21, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

CALENDAR OF FUTURE NUMISMATIC EVENTS

In order that this Calendar be as complete as possible, secretaries of State or Regional Organizations should advise the General Secretary of future meetings which should be included.

Inquiries, further information, or reservations should be sent to official indicated.

California State Numismatic Association. 14th semiannual convention. April 22-25, 1954. Bellevue Hotel, San Francisco, Calif. Robert G. McArthur, Secy., 2419 Humbolt Ave., Oakland 1, Calif.

National Coin Week. April 26-May 2, 1954. Don Sherer, General Chairman, 2212 N. 15th Ave., Phoenix, Arizona.

Central States Numismatic Society. Annual convention. Apr. 30-May 2, 1954. Hotel Pfister, Milwaukee, Wisc. Paul Ginther, Secy., New Holland, Ill.

Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association. Annual convention. May 15-16, 1954. Lewis-Clark Hotel, Centralia, Wash. Gene DeNise, Secy., 139 E. 116th St., Seattle 55, Wash.

Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs. Semi-annual convention. May 16, 1954. Armory Bldg., Ashland, Ohio. Leo M. Thomas, Gen. Chairman, Church and Second St., Ashland, Ohio.

American Vecturist Association (a national organization of transportation token collectors) will meet in annual convention on August 7-8, 1954, at Evansville, Indiana.

American Numismatic Association. 63rd Annual convention. Hotel Carter, Cleveland, Ohio. A. J. Croshier, General Chairman, 4384 W. 146th St., Cleveland 11, Ohio. Lewis M. Reagan, General Secretary, Box 577, Wichita, Kansas. Dates are August 17-21, 1954.

Oklahoma-Kansas Numismatic Association. Seventh annual convention. October 16-17, 1954. Salina, Kansas. Mrs. Virginia A. Deeble, Secy., 511 Morrison, Salina, Kansas.

Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association. Second annual convention, Washington, D. C., October 22-24, 1954. Eldridge G. Jones, Secretary, 4228 19th St. NE, Washington 18, D. C.

Iowa Numismatic Association. Annual Convention. Hotel Ottumwa, Ottumwa, Iowa. November 6-7.

Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association. Third annual convention. November 13-14, 1954. Whitman Hotel, Pueblo, Colo. C. G. Klein, Secy., 5622 Balsam, Arvada, Colo.

American Numismatic Association. 64th annual convention. Hotel Fontenelle, Omaha, Nebraska. August 24-27, 1955.

PRICE FOR 1953 MINT SETS IS \$6.14

Beginning in January 1954, and continuing through March 31, 1954, uncirculated 1953 coins available from the Treasury may be purchased in sets only containing two (2) of each of the coins, other than commemorative and proof coins, struck at each of the mints.

Total face value	\$5.46
Postage, parcel post .....	.08
Insurance .....	.10
Assembling and handling fee .....	.50
Total	\$6.14

Uncirculated coins are furnished only in sets with **Limit of one set** to each person. Application for sets of 1953 uncirculated coins should be addressed to the Treasurer of the United States, Cash Division, Washington 25, D. C., accompanied by a remittance drawn to the order of the Treasurer of the United States.

Report of the General Secretary

Admission to Membership

Applicants numbered 21842-21937 as published in the January issue have been admitted to membership.

Applicants for Membership

The following applications were received in January 1954. If there are no objections filed prior to April 1954, these applicants will become members on that date and notice to this effect will appear in the May issue.

- 22098 **Maurice L. Chapel**, 261 Rose St., Metuchen, N. J. U. S. & Foreign coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22099 **Harry Yolles**, 754 Kennedy St., N.E., Washington, D. C. U. S. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22100 **W. M. Baldwin**, R. R. 3, #27 Highway, Weston, Ont., Canada. Crowns of the world, English & German coinage. Philip Magel, Louis C. Haddad.
- 22101 **E. G. Murphy**, Rt. 8, Box 353D, Jacksonville, Fla. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22102 **Mike Shaffer**, 715 E. Overbrook, Ponca City, Okla. General. Anna Lee Erwin.
- 22103 **E. H. Sachs**, Biglerville, Pa. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22104 **Dr. G. T. Good**, Medical Arts Bldg., Yuma, Colo. General. Cosby McBeath.
- 22105 **Ralph F. Smith**, 12 Elm Court, Windsor, Conn. Dimes. William H. Taylor.
- 22106 **E. H. Brooks**, 603 N. Jackson, San Angelo, Texas. U. S. Coins. Louis Berryman.
- 22107 **Chet Maxwell**, 5216 35th Ave., Kenosha, Wis. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22108 **Norman J. Schulte**, 6406 7th Ave., Kenosha, Wis. General. C. A. Maxwell.
- 22109 **M. A. Mead**, P. O. Box 284, Highway 9, Boulder Creek, Calif. General. Frank R. Campbell.
- 22110 **Eugenio Gebauer**, Apartado 953, Caracas, Venezuela. S. A. Latin American-gold coins, 19th cent. European coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22111 **Willis Thornton**, 2855 Coventry Rd., Shaker Heights 20, Ohio. USA, crowns. John R. Sturdmann.
- 22112 **John M. Senft**, 340 E. Poplar St., York, Pa. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22113 **Robert E. Ambrose**, P. O. Box 696, Camas, Wash. U. S. & Canadian coins. A. A. Wilbur.
- 22114 **Clair H. Stukey**, 120 E. Huntington St., Montpelier, Ind. General. H. C. McKown, Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22115 **Joseph M. Schwartz**, 2121 Tyson Ave., Philadelphia 49, Pa. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22116 **Richard Arnold Steele**, 410 S. Weadock St., Saginaw, Mich. U. S. Coins & Paper Money. Carl L. Roethke, Mrs. D. Dee DeNise.
- 22117 **John Holden, Jr.**, R. R. 1, Garwin, Iowa. U. S. Type & Proofs. Paul Kagin.
- 22118 **Cdr. W. R. Boehm**, USN, 1044 26th St., South, Arlington 2, Va. General. Carl H. Boehm.
- 22119 **Isadore Schechtman**, 243 St. James Dr., Piedmont 11, Calif. U. S. Coins. Edward Fogler, C. E. Goodrich.
- 22120 **Stanley Kubala**, 82 Howell St., Buffalo 7, N. Y. U. S. Coins. John J. Glegota, Jr.
- 22121 **Lambert E. Argo**, Rodney St., Clayton, Delaware. U. S. Coins. Burton H. Saxton.
- 22122 **Mrs. Helga Linda Ogilvie**, 6615 Waring Ave., Hollywood 38, Calif. General. Jack W. Ogilvie, Karl M. Brainard. Associate Membership.
- 22123 **Claude O. Bachtell**, 1220 Hagemann Ave., Burlington, Iowa. U. S. General. Edward D. Hass.
- 22124 **Frank W. Yasulaitis**, 417 S. Russell, Monterey Park, Calif. U. S. & Foreign gold. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22125 **Virginia Sivillo**, 402 N. 6th, Apt. 26, Las Vegas, Nevada. Silver dollars. Peter Bashla.
- 22126 **Frederic J. Hunt**, 108 Anthony St., East Providence 14, R. I. U. S. Coins. Horace M. Grant, Robert M. Goodrich.
- 22127 **Clarence H. Thomas**, 814 E. Genesee, Saginaw, Mich. U. S. Coins. Mrs. C. R. Blake.
- 22128 **Mrs. Elias Wolf**, Dresher Rd., Dresher, Pa. U. S. Coins. Charles E. Tuckwood, F. B. Parks, Jr.
- 22129 **Jobe H. Richards, Jr.**, 1014 Jennings at 12th St., Fort Worth 2, Texas. General. R. E. Wallace.
- 22130 **Ralph A. Wenneker**, 29 Orchard Lane, Kirkwood 22, Mo. General. Donald H. Free, Arthur B. Kelley.
- 22131 **Robert D. Bangs**, 3500 SW Upper Drive, Oswego, Ore. Proof coins. Lester G. Calvert.
- 22132 **Michael Giller**, 2821 Spencer Rd., Chevy Chase 15, Md. General. Jack T. Donnelly.
- 22133 **Reed H. Teets**, 379 New York Ave., Rochester, Pa. General. Henry L. Elliott.
- 22134 **Howard W. Thompson**, 13379 Osborne St., Pacoima, Calif. U. S. small coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22135 **Fred W. Witt**, 102 Cattell St., Easton, Pa. Commemorative coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22136 **Edward W. Buge**, R. R. 5, Box 336, Evansville, Ind. U. S. Commemorative & coins. A. L. Bernardin.
- 22137 **Joe Demarco**, 238 W. 25th Pl., Chicago 16, Ill. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22138 **Y. V. Ghatge**, 2 Nagin Mahal, Churchgate Reclmtn, Bombay, India. General. Theodore Kemm, Edward A. Ball.
- 22139 **Edward S. Malley**, 1 Reservoir Ave., Johnston 11, R. I. U. S. & Canadian general. Ernest Grant.

- 22140 **Roy O. Trusty**, 1120 E. 33rd St., Oakland 10, Calif. General. Edward Fogler, Chas. Steele.
- 22141 **W. R. Mains**, 240 Main St., Augusta 1, Ky. U. S. Half Cents, Large Cents. C. Bolus.
- 22142 **M. D. Cronwall**, Box 746, Sonora, Calif. General coins. E. C. Cronwall, Jr.
- 22143 **Robert M. Smith**, Box 226, Gettysburg, Pa. Silver dollars. George W. Olinger.
- 22144 **Bernard Bauer**, 336 Central Park West, New York 25, N. Y. Coins & Stamps. Richard May.
- 22145 **Philip F. Alberts**, 1340 Wilkins Ave., New York 59, N. Y. U. S. & all gold. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22146 **Mrs. Dorothy A. Kusche**, 45 Parcot Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y. Unc. U. S. Coins. Pitt M. Skipton.
- 22147 **Donovan Holford Penfold**, 11 Minto Ave., Hamilton, Ont., Canada. Canada, Newfoundland & U. S. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22148 **William D. Manos**, 113 North "K" St., Madera, Calif. U. S. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22149 **Edward W. Richardson**, 1002 E. 81st St., Indianapolis, Ind. U. S. Types. Elmer W. Gustafson, Willie D. Cook.
- 22150 **T. R. Kearney**, 31 Fay Place, Summit, N. J. U. S. Coins. Frank R. Bader.
- 22151 **William M. Phillips**, 1027 Raymond Drive, New Orleans 20, La. U. S. Coins. Helen H. Williamson.
- 22152 **Jack P. Fritz**, 2724 N. Lehmann Ct., Chicago 14, Ill. U. S. Silver dollars & Lincoln cents and foreign coins. Norman Shultz.
- 22153 **Richard W. Brooks**, R. D. No. 2, LaFayette, N. Y. U. S. Coins. Bruce R. Gibbs, Charles T. Heaton, Raymond H. Williamson.
- 22154 **Robert Hugh Wise**, 1707 Western Ave., No. Alliance, Ohio. U. S. & Foreign coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22155 **Mrs. M. Jo Lipford**, Box 871, Elizabethton, Tenn. U. S. General. Ray B. Lipford. Associate Membership.
- 22156 **Marvin Withers, Jr.**, Room 209 Repp Bldg., Pratt, Kans. General. Ernest M. Magby, Floyd M. Withers.
- 22157 **Cecil L. Pipes**, P. O. Box 21, Piqua, Ohio. Indian Heads, Lincoln cents & gold coins. Howard L. DeHart.
- 22158 **Norman W. Boynton**, RFD 1, Algerine St., Afton, N. Y. Holy Roman Empire Talers. W. L. Swart.
- 22159 **John J. Viskosky**, 3162 W. 25th St., Apt. 4, Cleveland 9, Ohio. U. S. General. S. L. Toth, Jr.
- 22160 **Steele Holley, Jr.**, Education Center, Hdqts. 43rd Inf. Div. APO 112, c/o P. M., New York, N. Y. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22161 **Allen Anderson**, 5901 S. Randolph St., Indianapolis, Ind. U. S. General. Floyd V. Kebl.
- 22162 **Mordchai Goldfarb**, 725 N. Crescent Ave., Cincinnati 29, Ohio. U. S. Coins. Ted Rogers.
- 22163 **Hugh McCown Knight**, 17617 Dixmoor Dr., Homewood, Ill. U. S. and Canada coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22164 **George S. Eidell**, 217 Grave Ave., Elmhurst, Ill. General. Burton H. Saxton, R. S. Yeoman.
- 22165 **Lloyd C. Vaught**, 1818 23rd Ave., Moline, Ill. U. S. Silver and Commemorative Halves. Albin Babinski, C. W. Laughead, Herman C. Filbrandt.
- 22166 **Fred C. Freytag**, 1413 Kearney St., Laramie, Wyo. U. S. Coins. Arnold Thorson. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22167 **William L. Rose**, 3618 Chapline St., Wheeling, W. Va. Gold, Copper and Silver Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22168 **Roy A. McCowen**, 16 N. Alexander, Danville, Ill. General. M. D. Six.
- 22169 **Major Jerome R. Frazelle**, Box 417 - Hqs. FEAF, APO 925, San Francisco, Calif. Gold Coins, proofs. Dan Brown.
- 22170 **Donald Spears**, 414 N. Grove, Bowling Green, Ohio. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22171 **Louis A. Geller**, 122 Janos Lane, Lakeview, W. Hempstead, L. I., N. Y. Modern American. Lewis M. Reagan, Robert Friedberg.
- 22172 **Mrs. Marie S. Schlondrop**, 1401 S. 59th St., West Allis 14, Wis. U. S. Coins. Edwin Schlondrop.
- 22173 **D. Roderick Jones**, 226 Lehigh Ave., Homestead Park, Pa. Ancient Greek Coins and Crowns of the world. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22174 **J. L. Aspinwall**, 97 W. Front St., Red Bank, N. J. U. S. and Canadian Coins. Irving Carol.
- 22175 **Roger J. Storm**, 24 Amherst Rd., Great Neck, N. Y. U. S. Coins. J. V. McDermott.
- 22176 **Baynard R. Young**, 420 W. 36th St., Wilmington 2, Del. U. S. General. Edwin Weaver.
- 22177 **Miss Judy Ferrara**, 43 Ridgeview, Peru, Indiana. General. Dr. Donald W. Ferrara, Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22178 **Michael Brand Zeddies**, 1143 Maple St., Evanston, Ill. U. S. Tokens. Horace L. Brand.
- 22179 **Hobart P. Morris**, Box 504, Oskaloosa, Iowa. U. S. General. W. R. Springer.
- 22180 **Lyle L. Gordon**, 2754 Friedell Drive, San Diego, Calif. General. Leonel Panosh, Francis Jones, Atwood L. MacDonald.
- 22181 **Ed J. Valenta**, 2333 Jeanette St., Abilene, Texas. U. S. Coins. J. M. Forest, L. R. Goodwin.
- 22182 **Robert T. Howe**, 181 Glen Ellyn Way, Rochester 18, N. Y. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22183 **F. J. McMillan**, 1879 Roberts, Beaumont, Texas. U. S. Coins. R. A. McCowen, R. M. Newton.
- 22184 **J. B. Hagan**, 26 Main St., Richlandtown, Pa. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22185 **E. W. Vanhoozer**, 1260 East Drive, Beaumont, Texas. General. R. M. Newton, A. E. Weaver, R. A. McCowen.
- 22186 **Jerry Johnke**, Box 224, Northern State Teachers College, Aberdeen, S. D. U. S. Coins. Arnold Thorson.

- 22187 **William Bramwell Simons**, 533 Gotham St., Watertown, N. Y. U. S. and British-Canada. John H. Brunner.
- 22188 **Jack Whitfield**, 1104 Colfax Ave., Evanston, Ill. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22189 **Charles R. O'Malley**, 325 Prospect St., La Jolla, Calif. Dr. Wallace, Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22190 **Donald Quincer**, Wadena, Minn. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22191 **Donald R. Baughman**, 1814 Forrest St., Seattle 44, Wash. General. Paul Fouts.
- 22192 **E. A. Graves**, 5045 1 St. So., Seattle 4, Wash. Spanish American-Latin American. Mrs. D. Dee DeNise.
- 22193 **Gennaro U. DeAngelis**, 109 Van Pelt Ave., Staten Island 3, N. Y. Paper Money. William H. Arthur, John R. Kent.
- 22194 **R. G. Alcorn**, 525 Clarence Ave., Oak Park, Ill. U. S. and Canadian Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22195 **John A. Witt**, 1650 East Ave., Rochester 10, N. Y. U. S. Silver Dollars. William J. Fields.
- 22196 **Brainerd Kremer**, 427 Bloomfield Ave., Montclair, N. J. General. John Klemann.
- 22197 **Leroy P. Gracey**, P. O. Box 937, New London, Conn. U. S. General. R. A. Wilson.
- 22198 **William E. Beaudoin**, 102 Cherry St., New Britain, Conn. U. S. Commemoratives, Foreign Coins. E. T. Karpinski.
- 22199 **John L. Knabenschuh**, 209 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Baltimore 2, Md. U. S. General. Thos P. Warfield, Melvin Fuld.
- 22200 **Lakeland Coin Club**, William F. Sneed, Jr., Secy., P. O. Box 1433, Lakeland, Fla. C. A. Brownell.
- 22201 **Lester L. Greenwood**, W. 2708 Providence Ave., Spokane 13, Wash. U. S. Coins and Currency. Lee Dark.
- 22202 **Dr. Arthur M. Clark**, 2880 S. Monroe, Dearborn, Mich. U. S. Spain and Rome. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22203 **Michael MacDougall**, 77-35 113th St., Forest Hills, N. Y. Foreign Gold, Commemorative Coins. Victor J. Melneohuck, Max M. Schwartz.
- 22204 **Robert W. DeMott**, 1617 Oramas Rd., Santa Barbara, Calif. Pennies and Nickels, W. E. Johnson.
- 22205 **Paul E. Berning**, 4178 Paxton Woods Drive, Cincinnati 3, Ohio. U. S. General. Ted Rogers.
- 22206 **Norman W. Cheever**, 40 Amherst St., Milford, N. H. U. S. General. Andrew S. Scott.
- 22207 **Virgil L. Asher**, 354 Green St., New Haven, Ind. U. S. Coins. John A. Shaffer.
- 22208 **Maynard Sundman**, Main St., Littleton, N. H. Large Cents. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22209 **J. R. Joyce**, 1200 South Shawnee, Bartlesville, Okla. U. S. Silver Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22210 **Jorge B. Vargas**, P. O. Box 1001, Manila, Philippines. Philippine Coins and Medals. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22211 **William P. Theurer**, c/o Winona National and Savings Bank, Winona, Minn. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22212 **Erwin Breuer**, 80-08 35th Ave., Apt. 3-B, Jackson Heights, N. Y. Currency, Commemoratives. Irving H. Ludwig.
- 22213 **Earl S. Cunningham**, 2509 Maitland Ave., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. U. S. Coins. John L. Smith.
- 22214 **Henry Mishkin**, P. O. Box 1083, Santa Fe, N. M. U. S. Commemorative, Gold and Proofs. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22215 **Bernard F. Schoeffel**, 12512 Hatteras, North Hollywood, Calif. General. Kenneth W. Lee.
- 22216 **William J. Neely**, 102 Fayette St., Buckhannon, W. Va. U. S. Coins. Ted Rogers.
- 22217 **L. S. Hooper**, 3872 Fairfield Ave., Shreveport, La. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22218 **Mrs. Florence Paine**, 49 C Oakwood Manor, Woodbury, N. J. General. A. Wayne Rowe.
- 22219 **Mildred E. Scott**, 7175 Andrews Ave., Philadelphia 38, Pa. General. Erwin N. Rush.
- 22220 **Arthur B. Totten**, 2800 Wagar Rd., Rocky River 16, Ohio. U. S. Coins. A. J. Croshier.
- 22221 **James A. Goodwin**, 2005 Duncan St., Pampa, Texas. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22222 **Robert Byron Richards**, 734 Pacific Ave., Tacoma 2, Wash. Two Dollar Bills. W. A. Philpott, Jr., Ward Estey.
- 22223 **Alfredo Castellanos Serra**, Reina 161, Havana, Cuba. General. Pedro M. Concepcion.
- 22224 **Mrs. L. B. Riddle**, Box 231 West Point, Va. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22225 **Joseph Basting**, 1447 N. 37th St., Milwaukee 8, Wis. U. S. Pennies. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22226 **Col. H. G. Kirgis**, 716 W. Braddock Rd., Alexandria, Va. U. S. Coins. I. D. Soelberg.
- 22227 **Philip A. Snyder**, Clayville, N. Y. U. S. Coins. Perry Panfely.
- 22228 **Frederick H. King**, 1954 Glynn Ct., Detroit 6, Mich. General. Harold L. Bowen.
- 22229 **M. Habernickel, Jr.**, 461 E. 40 St., Paterson 4, N. J. U. S. General. William R. Hewitt.
- 22230 **Walter Sapko**, Harry Howard Ave., Hudson, N. Y. Silver Commemorative Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22231 **George Devoe Griffin**, 4644 Geary Blvd., San Francisco 18, Calif. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22232 **Aaron Herr**, 234 Chester St., Lancaster, Lanc. Co., Pa. General. William A. Hull.
- 22233 **Mrs. Elston G. Bradfield**, 6652 N. Seeley Ave., Apt. 1-S, Chicago 45, Ill. General. Elston G. Bradfield, Associate Membership.
- 22234 **R. M. Jauch**, Rt. 1, Box 514-A, Bartlesville, Okla. U. S. General. George Ogden.
- 22235 **Florence R. King**, 18 Jacobus Place, New York 63, N. Y. U. S. General. Samuel Zuckerman.
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- 22239 **Benjamin P. Freedland**, 3843 W. Outer Drive, Detroit 21, Mich. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22240 **Virginia Peninsula Coin Club**, Ben M. Sugg, Secy. 364 LaSalle Ave., Hampton, Va. M/Sgt. Mervyn H. Reynolds, W. Glenn Elliott.
- 22241 **Dwight L. Johnson**, 1001 Curtis St., Pratt, Kansas. General. Ernest M. Magby.
- 22242 **Edgar R. Whiteman**, 1125 Reeder Circle NE, Atlanta, Ga. General. Edward C. Rosendahl. G. M. Todd, Leroy D. Martin.
- 22243 **Dr. J. L. Rose**, 881 E. High St., Lexington, Ky. General. John G. Krauss.
- 22244 **Mrs. Arlene E. McKee**, 1402 Old National Bank Bldg., Spokane 1, Wash. U. S. General. Lee Dark.
- 22245 **Donald L. Dulaney**, 736 Walnut St., Prescott, Ariz. General. Jack M. Turner.
- 22246 **B. E. Pendleton**, E2627 S. Crescent, Spokane 25, Wash. U. S. and Canadian Coins. Don Zearing, Bert Wagner.
- 22247 **Guy B. Mims, Jr.**, 707 Tucker Ave., Waynesboro, Ga. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22248 **Robert C. Simons**, Box 396, Rio Vista, Calif. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22249 **Marvin H. Runner**, 1971 Lycoming Creek Road, Williamsport, Pa. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
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- 22251 **Mario Ratto**, Via Manroin 23, Milano, Italy. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22252 **Dr. Alex D. Gerson**, 280 The Arcade, Cleveland 14, Ohio. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22253 **Prof. Columbus Galeani**, 608 Fifth Ave., Asbury Park, N. J. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22254 **W. Sanders**, 124 E. 2nd St., Edmond, Okla. U. S. Coins. Ralph W. Osborne.
- 22255 **Mrs. John R. Stewart**, 11859 Edgewater Drive, Lakewood 7, Ohio. U. S. General. Alan R. Cohen.
- 22256 **Daniel Boone Coin Club**, William J. Allen, Secy., 116 W. Innes St., Salisbury, N. C. C. L. Floyd.
- 22257 **Preston Thompson**, 4821 S. 66th St., Tacoma, Wash. General. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22258 **Frank G. McManon**, 38 Harshaw Ave., Toronto 9, Ont., Canada. Canadian and U. S. Peter S. Favro.
- 22259 **Donald C. Caley**, 1430 Williamson Bldg., Cleveland 14, Ohio. General. Harry Polatsek, Michael Kolman, Jr.
- 22260 **Greensboro Coin Club**, J. W. B. Bason, Secy., P. O. Box 1066, Greensboro, N. C. Everett J. Stoker.
- 22261 **W. A. Buchanan**, 701 Fremont St., Marshalltown, Iowa. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
- 22262 **William O'Morrissey**, 2210 Turnbull Ave., Bronx, New York 72, N. Y. U. S. Coins. Lewis M. Reagan.
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- 22264 **Wallace M. Webster**, 850 Michigan Trust Bldg., Grand Rapids 2, Mich. U. S. Commemoratives. Charles N. Cooley, Garland C. Hughes.
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- LM262 **Louis R. Karp**, 2214 Brighton Dr., Louisville 5, Ky.

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- 10307 **Francis E. Dunn**, 1212 W. 35th St., Indianapolis 23, Ind.
- 12209 **Justin J. Emery**, Route 5, Hastings, Mich.
- 10045 **Ray R. Fiscus**, 1833 Nowland Ave., Indianapolis 1, Ind.
- 19539 **Rev. Edgar A. Henry**, 111 S. Keesey St., York, Pa.
- 7762 **Maurice Jensen**, 228 St. Joseph Ave., Long Beach 3, Calif.
- 4987 **Henry G. Kirchhoff**, 5425 Neosho Ave., Kansas City 3, Kansas.
- 10452 **Gerald C. Micka**, 10020 Lakeshire Drive, Afton, Mo.
- 13809 **L. J. Nangle**, 693 Shatto Place, Los Angeles 5, Calif.
- 16488 **A. C. Shearer**, 42 Race St., Greenville, Pa.
- 8207 **C. W. Soultis**, Bel-Aire Motel, Sterling, Colo.
- 13754 **Oswald Tengwall**, 161 Cole Ave., Jamestown, N. Y.
- 4181 **John Wiese**, 3204 Rosedale Ave., Dallas, Texas.

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- 20364 **John Durler Murdoch**, Hinsdale, Ill.
- 13198 **Kenneth F. Fisher**, Takoma Park, Md.
- 19598 **Howard E. Glennie**, Wichita, Kansas.
- 12433 **Morris J. Lee**, Colchester, Essex, England.
- 19230 **James L. Rogers**, New York, N. Y.
- 20488 **John B. Olson**, St. Petersburg, Fla.
- 15742 **Harold Uttech**, Watertown, Wis.

Deceased

- 19759 Dr. B. A. Cottlow, Oregon, Ill.
 10995 Jas. S. Lawrence, Vernon, N. J.
 9915 Mrs. Caroline Merkel, Chicago, Ill.
 6348 Charles W. Randolph, Hubbard, Ohio.

Suspended

- 21415 Clifford C. Dilts, Box 102, Bushnell, Ill.
 7540 John L. Dooley, 213 E. 11th St., Topeka, Kansas.
 17499 Ray Houser, 608 Cherokee Blvd., Chattanooga 5, Tenn.

Reports of Club Meetings

SECRETARIES PLEASE NOTE: Reports should be made promptly. Copy must be received by the 7th of the month to insure insertion in the following month's issue. As a usual thing a copy of the minutes is sent in, and almost invariably a number of items of local concern only must be cancelled. The justification for publishing these accounts lies in the numismatic information – and encouragement – to be derived by collectors generally, regardless of location. On this basis we feel it advisable to revise and condense, and, incidentally, the by-product of this course is conservation of valuable space.

Please send reports to the Assistant Editor.

ARKANSAS VALLEY COIN CLUB – The 61st monthly meeting was held January 6 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo White, Rocky Ford, Colo. Al Overton, the outgoing president, presided until all of the old business was completed. Fourteen members were present. Club members voted unanimously to act as host to the Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association November 13 and 14, with the Whitman Hotel in Pueblo, Colo., as headquarters.

New officers for 1954 are:
 President: Eugene Trechter.
 Vice President: Leroy Bennett.

Secretary-Treasurer: Herman Boraker. A tentative schedule was announced for this year's meeting places. Herbert Hyatt of Las Animas, was appointed chairman of the Paper Judging committee, assisted by Claude Hamilton and Keyton Boothe. An award certificate for the best paper will be presented at the next annual banquet.

Herman Boraker furnished exhibit material consisting of several medals of various sizes and issued on many different occasions in history.

– HERMAN L. BORAKER,
 A.N.A. Representative

ASHEVILLE COIN CLUB – Meeting 80, eighth anniversary of the club, and dinner were held in the S. and W. Cafeteria clubroom on January 16th, 1954. With 17 members and 13 visitors.

Following the introduction of guests by President Thelma Jones, the Anniversary Cake was cut. The year was summarized by President Jones. "Uncle Gus" read a paper on "Salt being used for money in Sierra Leone."

The following officers were elected for the year 1954:

President: L. Ried Lovelace.
 Vice President: Jose Gonzales.
 Secretary-Treasurer: Hanson C. Miller.
 "Uncle Gus" presented Miss Thelma

Jones, 1953 president, with a set of 1953 U. S. Proof coins; Secretary Miller, a Kaywoody pipe.

Most important accomplishment of the club for the year 1953 was winning first prize in Class B National Coin Week April 17th-23rd, 1953.

– HANSON C. MILLER,
 Secretary

ATLANTA COIN CLUB – The 420th regular meeting was held December 8, 1953, at the Henry Grady Hotel, with 24 present, President Edward C. Rosendahl presiding.

J. J. Gonzales, club founder, presented the original Constitution & By-Laws adopted at the organizational meeting on July 18, 1929. The original name had been "Atlanta Numismatic Society," but was changed because charter members were too often asked the meaning of the word "numismatic."

Jackson Bennett, Gainesville, gave a well prepared program on Dahlonega, describing Benjamin Parks' 1828 discovery of gold in Cherokee Territory, Lumpkin County, Georgia. Dahlonega is a Cherokee term meaning "yellow metal." Georgia acquired Cherokee territory in 1830 and marched the Indians to Oklahoma territory. The land was divided into 40-acre gold lots and disposed of by lottery. It is estimated 15,000 miners worked within a radius of ten miles at one time.

A United States branch mint was established in Dahlonega in 1837 for the exclusive coinage of gold and operated until 1861. Skilled workmen were brought from Philadelphia and the first coins were minted in 1838. The mint building was transferred to Georgia in 1871. It burned in 1878, and the present one, erected in 1879, is now the Administration Building of North Georgia College. The search for gold around Dahlonega has never been completely abandoned. Today only the Bart John-

son mine is in operation, and vacationers still hopefully do some panning of creek gravels.

A complete set of Dahlonega gold requires thirteen \$1 pieces, twenty \$2½, one \$3, and twenty-five \$5 pieces, or a total of fifty-nine pieces, including both the small and large date of 1842 \$5 pieces. Mr. Bennett exhibited aerial photographs of the old mint and the Calhoun mine; also, a type set of Dahlonega gold coins.

Ray Lathem, Gainesville, exhibited all Dahlonega pieces except two \$1's, three \$2½'s and the \$3 piece, most in uncirculated condition.

In the November contest to get the most members to attend this meeting, Culver M. Hillis was awarded the prize, a 1950 U. S. Proof Set donated by Charles J. O'Donnell.

—MARGARET C. McAULEY,
Assistant Secretary

ATLANTA COIN CLUB—The 421st regular meeting was held January 12, 1954, in the Henry Grady Hotel, with President Edward C. Rosendahl presiding and 36 present. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Neuburger, Randol Farlow and Fred James.

Officers for 1954 are:

President: Edward C. Rosendahl.

Vice President: Edwin P. Morgan.

Secretary-Treasurer: J. R. Leimenstoll.

Assistant Secretary: Margaret C. McAuley.

The appointment of Pierce H. James, Sr., as Club Representative of the A.N.A. was ratified by the President.

M. C. Kiser, whose family owns several Indian mounds around Cartersville, Georgia, presented an excellent program on "Wampum," and exhibited specimens from 500 to 1,000 years old, including tube wampum from Temple Mounds of Spiro, Oklahoma; Aztec Indian copper money known as "cacao" or hoe money from Mexico City; shell wampum from Etowah Indian Mounds at Cartersville, Georgia, from Temple Mounds of Spiro, Oklahoma, from the Navaho Indians of Stockton, Calif., and from the Pomo Indians of Sacramento, Calif.

The A.N.A. slide set on Confederate Currency was then shown, with commentary by Edwin P. Morgan. This is a beautiful set of color slides including rarer notes of 1861 and the Confederate cent and half dollar. The A.N.A. deserves our sincere appreciation for its fine collection of color slides.

Silver dollars were sold at nominal cost by Edwin P. Morgan. His employer, a nationally known company, had given its employees a Christmas bonus paid wholly in silver dollars.

Exhibits:

L. B. Neuburger: Two early siege pieces and one of the first dated dollar-size coins, 1486, in semi-proof condition.

C. M. Hillis: Two off-center 1953-D Lincoln cents and set of Canadian small cents.

Edw. C. Rosendahl: Set of Canadian large and small cents.

Philip S. Reed: Type set of U. S. minor coins.

L. D. Martin: Type set 20 cent, dime, half dime, half cents and commemoratives.

J. R. Leimenstoll: 1953 South Africa proof set.

—MARGARET C. McAULEY,
Assistant Secretary

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB, INC.—Meeting of December 17, 1953 was held

at Peale Museum, Karl Kerzel presiding.

Mr. Kerzel reported on the Board meeting of the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association and commented on the remarkable progress the new organization has made.

Mr. Austin displayed many scarce "broken bank" notes, with appropriate remarks. He specializes in research on the activities of the early bank officials and revealed many interesting facts on many of the signers of obsolete bank notes.

Mr. Heiserman exhibited select pieces of "John Hus" double and single talers and medals of Martin Luther.

Mr. Jennings exhibited Martin Luther pieces that were to be displayed in conjunction with a seasonal slide show.

The show was postponed, however, for our Christmas party.

—HERBERT PHILLIPS,
Secretary

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB, INC.—Meeting of January 7th was held at Peale Museum, Karl Kerzel presiding.

Mr. Heiserman displayed multiple talers. He spoke on a "Wedding" taler of Hamburg; a double taler of Wurtemberg dated 1871, commemorating the restoration of the Cathedral of Ulm; some Munster pieces; and the german-silver 1 billion Mark piece (highest denomination ever coined). He informed us that "broad" talers were usually struck on special occasions for presentation purposes.

Mr. Hall exhibited crowns systematically arranged in drawers. Since most were in duplicate, obverse and reverse were shown simultaneously. He spoke of a trip to Europe and how he gained entree to the continental collectors through his knowledge of the French language and a quantity of early U. S. Half Dollars. In his display were three rare incuse crowns. Mr. Hall referred in detail to the one of Charles X, dated 1830. He stated that double and triple crowns and talers were counterparts of present day proofs and were presented to the VIP's and "top brass" of the day.

Mr. Jennings spoke briefly on his four albums of crowns.

Mr. Schmidt displayed counterfeit crowns and genuine coins of the same issue. He talked on the Mexican pieces and told how the counterfeits readily passed current until the silver-plating started to wear off.

Mr. Straus displayed a complete set of trimes, 3c nickels and a page of shield nickels, all in proof. He read many listings from a "buying" catalog issued late in the 19th century. The prices seemed ridiculous when compared to those of today, but they did show us how good coins increase in value with time.

—HERBERT PHILLIPS,
Secretary

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB, INC.—Meeting of January 21st was held at Peale Museum, Karl Kerzel presiding.

A.N.A. slides of U. S. \$5.00 notes, 1861-1923, was projected by Mr. Goodell with Mr. Phillips acting as commentator. Mr. Jennings also showed colored slides of the M.A.N.A. convention in Washington, D. C.

—HERBERT PHILLIPS,
Secretary

BIRMINGHAM COIN CLUB—The 108th meeting was held at White Dairy January 19th with 18 members and visitors present. The visitors were John Harris

and William Thomas of Bessemer, Alabama.

The annual election was held. New officers are:

President: Forrest Shavers.

Vice President: Halsey Townes.

Secretary-Treasurer: R. J. Gagnon.

Talks were made by Henry Watkins on the care of coins, by O. L. Hurt on Star Notes, and by Forrest Shavers on the new British proof sets.

— HALSEY TOWNES,
Secretary

BRONX COIN CLUB — The 244th meeting was held December 23, 1953, at the Concourse Plaza Hotel. Fourteen members and three guests were present, with President Raymond Gallo presiding.

Mr. F. Knobloch spoke on "Some Examples of Architecture on Roman Coins." While primarily devoted to the various representations of temples, the discussion included such related subjects as aqueducts, bridges, altars and funeral pyres. His exhibit was supplemented with coins from the collections of Dr. V. Clain-Steffanelli and Mr. R. Picker.

The exhibits were as follows:

W. T. Anton: Collection of Confederate currency, 50c to \$500; and Colonial continental fractional currency.

R. T. Beldegreen: Elizabeth II one pound South African proof; U. S. double eagles of 1897, 1908-D, and 1927.

S. Bellus: Type set of U. S. small cents.

V. Clain-Steffanelli: Group of 20 Roman coins showing buildings and monuments of ancient Rome.

W. L. Clark: Thirty-four coins of Italy and Italian states.

H. J. Erlanger: Medal of 1686 on The Victories of the Year Over the Turks (by Hautsch) and a medal of 1773 on The Abolition of the Society of Jesus by Pope Clement XIV (by Oexlehn).

A. Feldman: Numismatic books: *Medallic History of the Bible* by Thomason, and *Money of the Bible* by Prime.

R. Gallo: Papal coins from 1555 to 1592.

F. Knobloch: Coins illustrating paper on Roman architecture.

M. Kortjohn: U. S. double eagles of 1906 and 1907; High relief pattern cents of 1859, 1865, 1866 and 1869; and a 1937 Lincoln cent with reeded edge.

R. Picker: Three Roman coins and two New Jersey cents.

J. D. Sweyd: Coins of Italy — 1863, 10 lire; 1859, 20 lire; 1865, 20 lire; and 1882, 20 lire.

J. Wagner: Medals — Saxony, Order of Albrecht, Knight; Saxony, Ernestine House Order, Knight; Wurtemberg, Order of the Crown, Knight; Wurtemberg, Order of Frederic, Knight, First Class.

T. J. Wass III: 1953 Elizabeth II coronation proof set, farthing to crown.

The following members were elected to office for 1954:

President: Raymond Gallo.

Vice President: Saul Bellus.

Corresponding Secretary: Martin Kortjohn.

Recording Secretary: Thomas J. Wass III.

Treasurer: J. Stanley Seeman.

Librarian-Curator: Edward Janis.

— THOMAS J. WASS III,
Recording Secretary

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB — The 245th meeting held on November 4, 1953, marked the coming of age of the Brooklyn Coin Club. 100 members and guests attended a grand banquet to celebrate the 21st anniversary of our organization.

We were honored by representations from all the metropolitan numismatic groups, and by several out of town delegations. The Brooklyn Coin Club was also happy to acknowledge the numerous congratulatory messages from numismatists in every section of the United States.

— SAMUEL J. MELNICK,
Secretary

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION — The December, 1953, meeting was called to order by President Gaston DiBello, 17 members and six guests present. Louis Ford showed colored movies of a fishing trip in South America. The following 1954 officers were elected:

President: Harold W. Hoople.

Vice President: Henry M. Myers.

Secretary: Ralph C. Maltby.

Assistant Secretary: A. M. Johnson.

Treasurer: George A. Cage.

Curator: Robert Lloyd.

Librarian: George A. Cage.

Board of Governors: Dr. John H. Wild (Chairman), Robert Lloyd, Gaston DiBello, Albert Gullian and Charles Prickett.

The recent death of Mrs. Wm. C. Behringer, wife of one of our members, was announced.

An auction followed the business meeting.

— RALPH C. MALTBY,
Secretary

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION — The 505th meeting was held January 4th in the Hotel Touraine. There were 13 members and five guests present. Applications for membership were submitted and accepted from Messrs. J. Pandolfino, William Stokes, Stephen Walls, and Leo Notaro. After the meeting an auction was conducted.

Exhibits:

R. C. Maltby: Complete set of large cents of Newfoundland.

Read Woodworth: U. S. proof set of 1936.

— RALPH C. MALTBY,
Secretary

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA COIN CLUB — The regular meeting was held at Champaign, Illinois, January 28, 1954, with President Hilton Hopson in the chair. There were 16 members present.

The following officers were elected for 1954:

President: Hilton Hopson.

Vice President: Kenney Mabray.

Secretary-Treasurer: A. Dean Richmond.

American Numismatic Association Representative: LeRoy J. Kaczor.

The new officers were installed by Colonel Harvey Davidson.

The purchase of a slide projector by the club to show A.N.A. slides was discussed. It was decided to hold an auction with coins donated by club members, the proceeds to be used in buying a projector. An auction followed which netted the club \$24.55.

— A. DEAN RICHMOND,
Secretary

CHICAGO COIN CLUB — The 420th meeting was held January 14, 1954, in the Lincoln Room of the LaSalle Hotel, President Clyde L. Grimm presiding. There were 58 members and nine visitors in attendance.

It was with heavy heart the President

announced the passing of Mrs. Caroline Merkel, a beloved member and wife of our former Club Secretary Joseph E. Merkel. She was laid to rest on January 13, 1954, in Oakwoods Cemetery. She also was member No. 9915 of the A.N.A.

We were informed that our congenial First Vice President Elston G. Bradfield has been appointed Assistant Editor of *The Numismatist* by the A.N.A. Governing Board. The officers and members join his many friends in extending to him our sincere congratulations and best wishes in his new office.

J. Henry Ripstra installed the officers elect for the year of 1954:

President: Clyde L. Grimm.

First Vice President: Elston G. Bradfield.

Second Vice President: Holloween M. Kurtzeborn.

Secretary-Treasurer: Theodore H. Rich. Directors: Theodore F. Pokorney, William B. Higginbotham, Harry X Boosel.

As we enter the new year, we wish to extend a standing invitation to all fellow numismatists, from coast to coast, who may be visiting Chicago to spend an evening at our club. We meet every second Wednesday of the month at the LaSalle Hotel, located at LaSalle and Madison Streets.

John G. Ross was elected to membership.

Earl C. Brown, in the absence of Jos. E. Merkel, presented the following exhibitors and their exhibits:

Mrs. Mary Jane Rich: 1953 South Africa coronation proof set of 11 coins, comprising 1 pound and 1/2 pound in gold, .922 fine to 1/4 d; 1953 Great Britain coronation proof set, 10 coins, crown to farthing and a New Zealand coronation proof set of 8 coins, crown to half penny.

Earl C. Brown: 1953 unc. coins of Australia, Burma, Colombia, Italy, Norway, Hungary, and 1951 unc. 1 pie of Pakistan worth about 1/6th of a U. S. cent.

Ernest Jonas: Eighteen Medals commemorating Benjamin Franklin and three (5c Franklin) encased postage stamps.

John Giello: Medals of Benjamin Franklin and President Dwight Eisenhower, copy of the President's 1953 inaugural prayer, etc.

Glenn B. Smedley: 1643 riksdaler of Sweden.

Theo. Pokorney: 1953 New Zealand coronation proof set, eight coins, crown to half penny, 1916 English half crown, 1919 India half crown, and 1930 South Africa half crown.

Jim Hurlbut: Five pieces of eight, one two-bit piece, Colonial and Continental notes.

Dr. Joseph P. Reich: A French medal of Maximilien Marie Isidore Robespierre, a French revolutionary leader, born in Arras, May 6, 1758 and executed on July 28, 1794.

— THEODORE H. RICH,
Secretary

CINCINNATI NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—The annual meeting was January 8, 1954, in the Metropole Hotel, President Jungclas in the chair. One visitor and 26 members were present.

Many displays were made, including coins belonging to the C.N.A. The date of the annual banquet was set for February 20th, at which time awards will be presented for the best talk and the best display of 1953, with prizes donated by President Jungclas.

The 1954 officers are:

President: R. E. Jungclas.

Vice President: E. B. Mitchell.

Treasurer: G. Parvin.

Secretary: W. Broker.

Curator: R. L. Jungclas.

Board of Governors: F. Potts and D. Feist.

Lu Riggs read some material from his numismatic scrap book. The meeting concluded with a showing of A.N.A. Slide Set No. 16, U. S. paper money, 1861-1923, illustrated by \$10 notes.

— WALTER BROKER,
Secretary

CLEVELAND COIN CLUB—The 167th meeting was held in the Carter Hotel November 4, 1953, with 22 members and four visitors present.

Dr. Y. A. Sargis gave an excellent talk on Diana, goddess of the hunt, illustrating his talk with ancient coins on which she appears.

All incumbents were re-elected, as follows:

President: Laura M. Caddy.

Vice President: Michael Kolman, Jr.

Secretary: Matt J. Gazso.

Treasurer: Howard F. Strang.

Exhibits:

A. J. Croshier: U. S. silver dollars, crowns of South Africa, Sweden, Saxony, Prussia and Japan and silver dollars of Canada.

Edgar Bell: 30 silver medals of Europe, 1700 to late 19th century.

Douglas Boutall, Jr.: Complete set of British Empire coronation stamps of Elizabeth II.

Laura Caddy: U. S. \$5 and \$10 notes with the first Thanksgiving as part of design, Canadian \$2, \$5 and \$10 and several broken bank notes portraying America as the "land of abundance."

Dr. Y. A. Sargis: Denarii of the goddesses Diana, Minerva and Venus, and the gods Apollo and Jupiter. Several varieties of coins of Ephesus.

Michael Kolman, Jr.: Fractional currency proofs including the rare 50 cent Justice note with the inverted reverse.

Joe Lukas: Collection of scarce United States and foreign gold and silver coins mutilated by converting into jewelry items.

Matt Gazso: Commemorative 3 mark coins of German Republic.

— MATT J. GAZSO,
Secretary

COIN CLUB OF RHODE ISLAND—Regular meeting was held at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel December 18, 1953, with nine members and two guests present.

Misses Helen S. Johnson of Cranston, and Helen W. McGovern of Edgewood, were admitted to membership.

Marshall Fisher exhibited a fine collection of broken bank bills including a four-dollar bill, and counterfeit bills all of which were dated before 1860. Mr. Bushnell traced the history of Mexican coinage and explained his exhibit.

Exhibits:

Mr. Fisher: Broken bank bills.

Mr. Bushnell: Mexican coins from the Spanish rule to the present.

Mr. E. Grant: Proof set in new airtight holder and piece of wampum encased in plastic.

Mr. Nicholson: Mexican paper currency; Revolutionary period of 1912 to 1916 and present paper bills.

— D. S. WRATHALL,
Secretary

DETROIT COIN CLUB—The 651st meeting was held December 17, 1953, at the Abington Hotel with 25 attending, Mr. Church presiding. Applications for membership were received from Niels P. Gunderson and William C. Jay. Andrew Beresik was elected to membership.

Exhibits:

Felix Church: World's Fair medal, Paris, France, 1889; Quebec medal, Society of Artists, 1910; Canadian medal, commemorating the visit of the King and Queen, 1939.

Don Lacey: Indian head cent, Mercury dime, 1811 half dollar struck off center; bronze and steel cent planchets; Athens silver tetradrachm 480-407 B.C.

—DON LACEY,
Secretary

EAST BAY COIN CLUB—The meeting was called to order on November 13, 1953, by President Gilbert D. Eaton, who complimented the 13 guests and 49 members for their attendance on a very stormy night.

Mr. Ritchie, general chairman for the "Coinival," gave a complete outline of the proposed program. He also reported that board members are trying to obtain a portable bookcase so library books can be brought into the clubroom on meeting nights, thereby making the books more accessible. Applications for membership were received from Mr. and Mrs. Deleene E. Cooper.

Fred Monteagle, our Vice President and Program Chairman, introduced the speaker of the evening, Oleg Maslenikov, Associate Professor of Slavic Languages and Literature at the University of California. In his twenty-minute talk, Prof. Maslenikov reviewed nine hundred years of Russian history. His intensely interesting discussion was informatively illustrated with coins of the various periods which he covered. One of his coins, bearing the likeness of Michael, first of the Romanovs, was issued by Nicholas II, destined to be the last czar and last of the Romanovs.

Exhibits, outlined by brief talks, were made by the following:

Clifford H. Bloom: Russian Empire pure platinum 3-rubles of Nicholas I, 1842, very rare.

Sidney Haas: "Big Pennies." A comparison of our modern cent with the large cent, the George VI penny with the 1797 "Cartwheel" penny and twopence, the Siberian 10-kopekks of Catherine II, 2.4 oz. wt., and the Oaxaca copper "hoe-money" of pre-Christian times, and a 16th Century Chinese temple coin 5 inches across.

Stanley S. Hawley: Hand carved wooden plaque "Coins of the Ancient Greeks."

A. G. K. Jakobsen: Complete set large cents, 1793 to 1857 inclusive, in two plastic holders.

Dennis Olswang: Broken bank bills and photostats; early numismatic book on Roman coins (1696).

Earl Parker: 1953 South Africa proof set: 1854 Kellogg \$20 gold.

R. C. Patterson: Broken bank notes, Walter Ritchie: 3 Chinese tally sticks — 1 copper, 2 bamboo.

Arnold Rosing: Set of Lincoln cents, vf to uncirculated; 1931 2½ gulden Netherlands proof; 1929-S United States 50c uncirculated; dinar of unknown origin.

Al Smith: Block of four 1861 fractional postage 5c; 1794 half-dollar; 1915 2-pesos, Mexico; Spiel marks, \$5 and \$20; 1803 cent.

Don T. Thrall: Postage currency first

and second series; encased postage; regular issue postage stamps 1861.

J. Todorovic: Russian coins, Nicholas I, ¼ kopek, ½ kopek, 1 kopek, 2 kopek, and 3 kopek of 1841-1844 series; 5 kopek and 10 kopek (1833-1835); 1 silver ruble 1834.

Tom Twohey: 1953 English proof set.

—THELMA FIEBERLING,
Recording Secretary

EAST BAY COIN CLUB—The 28 guests and 52 members were greeted and welcomed by our President, Mr. Gilbert D. Eaton, at the December 11, 1953, meeting.

These officers for 1954 were elected by unanimous ballot:

President: Gilbert D. Eaton.

Recording Secretary: Don Thrall.

Corresponding Secretary: Mary Goodrich.

Treasurer: Don Crosman.

Board of Governors: Lee Bollinger, John Schreuder, Thelma Fleberling.

A motion was passed that the rules be suspended to permit election of Vice-President at the January meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Roy O. Trusty were welcomed in absentia as new members. Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ellinger were with us, after a long absence. Mr. Ellinger is a charter member. Mr. and Mrs. Godby again proved their generosity by presenting the *Guide Book of United States Coins*—7th Edition to the club library.

Mr. Monteagle, Vice President and Program Chairman, introduced the speaker of the evening, Raymond I. Smith, Vice President and General Manager of Harold's Club, Reno, Nevada. Mr. Smith said that he, too, was a coin collector, but that the condition and dates of coins were of secondary importance to him. His talk was very interesting and informative on the subject of gambling.

Exhibits, outlined by brief talks, were made by the following:

Ken Allen: Complete set fractional currency.

Ossie Balbini: Dubosq & Co., \$5 Gold. The only record of this coin is the one in the R. E. Curtis sale, held by Bangs & Co., Dec. 12, 1884, where a Dubosq & Co. \$5 gold piece, dated 1850 in good condition, sold for \$6.40.

Clifford H. Bloom: English gold sovereign of William IV, 1837, last year of reign. Rare. Uncirculated.

Rudy Gjurovich: Pan Liang, China, with which workers on the Great Wall were paid. Crowns of the world.

Roy Hill: Gambling tokens of California 100 years ago. Siam porcelain tokens gambling pieces, Finland, republic, 1918 5 pennia, pattern.

George F. Hodges: Grant commemorative gold dollar.

A. G. K. Jakobsen: Proof set, 1953 in new Miller plastic holder. Volume 1, 2, 3, 4 Adams *Private Gold Coinage*, 1925 Ben. Green *U.S. Reference and Check Book* to compare with Hewitt's *Check List and Record Book of U.S. Coins*.

John E. Ohls: 1953 Set Cuba commemorative of Marti. New Austria Stephans groschen.

E. A. Parker: Books—*Coins of the World*, 19th Century, 2nd Edition; *So-Called Dollars*; *Treasury of the World's Coins*. 1851 Augustus Humbert \$50 slug. 1953 Peru 100-50-20 soles gold.

R. C. Patterson: 40 freak Lincoln cents. Arnold Rosing: 1953 South Africa two-piece gold proof set. Three different 20th Century Swiss commemorative 5-francs. 1902 English proof 2-pound, 1-pound, ½-pound gold.

Al Smith: 1795 United States dollar, Type I, 1804 British trade dollar.

William H. Smith: Type set commemorative halves. Uncirculated set Morgan dollars, 1878 to 1921, except 1895. Proof set, year 1888, 1917-S obv., 1918-S, 1919-D and -S, 1920-D and -S, 1921-D and -S half dollars uncirculated. South African coronation proof set 1953.

Tom Twohey: 1953 South African proof set, 11 pieces. 1902 English proof set, 5-shilling to one penny.

The auction was limited to 36 lots because of our Christmas party. Ralph Mitchell conducted the auction.

Christmas punch, cake and coffee were served by Pearl Holm and her committee.

—THELMA FIEBERLING,
Recording Secretary

EAST BAY COIN CLUB—The sixty-five members and twenty guests were welcomed by our President, Mr. Gilbert D. Eaton at the meeting of January 8. Daniel J. Redmond was elected to the office of Vice President for 1954.

R. G. McArthur, first president administered the oath to new officers and the Board of Governors for 1954. Mr. Eaton thanked those who assisted him during 1953.

Mr. McArthur presented a copy of *Report on a Statewide Survey of Local Coin Clubs*, compiled and distributed by California State Numismatic Association. Five dollars was donated to assist the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society in publishing a brochure for the coming State Convention in San Francisco.

Mrs. Pearl Holm's refreshment fund presented the library with a copy of the latest edition of *Nineteenth Century Coins of the World*.

The new design of one lighting fixture, constructed by Erich Werling, was pointed out. This is another experiment in finding one which will adequately light displays.

Irving I. Wildberg, president of the Wildberg Smelting and Refining Company in San Francisco, gave a very interesting talk on "Precious Metallurgy, Past and Present." He explained the process of smelting and refining metals from ore and scrap materials and displayed samples taken during smelting and refining.

Exhibits, and talks, were made by the following:

Ken Allen: Pattern gold dollars; collection of large bills.

Clifford H. Bloom: Spain, 20 pesetas gold piece of Alfonso XIII, 1889, baby head, very rare.

Bruno Crosfield: Two Chinese pieces, with rare portrait of Bruno.

Rudy Gjurovich: Complete set of uncirculated Indian Head cents.

Stanley S. Hawley: Ancient Greek coins of Croton, Thebes, and Metapontum; auction catalog from Amsterdam.

Roy Hill: Russian solar ruble of Peter the Great; Russian silver mint weight; coins of Tibet.

Walter Ritchie: Catalog of King Farouk collection.

Arnold Rosing: Germany, 1952 Nuremberg common 5-marks in proof; Mecklenburg-Schwerin 5-marks and 2-marks 1904 in proof; Anhalt 3-marks 1914 in proof.

—DON T. THRALL,
Recording Secretary

EAST LIVERPOOL COIN CLUB—The regular monthly meeting was held at

the Y.M.C.A., December 15, 1953. The meeting was called to order by President Wiles. There were 12 members present.

Our A.N.A. dues were ordered paid. The secretary was ordered to obtain visual slides for the following meeting if they are obtainable. It was decided to subscribe to the *Numismatic Scrapbook Magazine*. Mr. Buchanan made a report on how and where to obtain Canadian mint sets. A program committee was appointed by the President, consisting of Mardis, Savage, and Wolf.

—PAUL C. WOLF,
Secretary

EVERGREEN COIN CLUB—The twenty-second meeting was a Christmas party for members and their families. Thirty-nine were present. Borst Park Community House, Centralia, Washington, was the place and it was decorated in spirit of the Season with ornamented tree, holly, and candles. A roaring fire in the stone fireplace and the fragrant aroma of roast turkey and good hot coffee added to the cheeriness.

Mrs. Williams roasted a twenty-four pound turkey well stuffed with good sage dressing and prepared plenty of gravy and cranberry jelly. The Ziebells and Gatches brought ice cream for all and the Monahans had candy favors to place beneath the tree for the children. Of course, there had to be a bit of swapping and plenty of coin collecting talk.

President Williams presided over a short business meeting. The treasurer announced that she had paid the club's A.N.A. dues and that the card and receipt had come. Applications for membership of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kirsten, and Mrs. Betty Gatch were read. Mrs. Petersen was appointed A.N.A. representative by Dr. J. Hewitt Judd, President of the A.N.A.

—HAVEN PETERSEN,
Secretary

FOUR COUNTY COIN COLLECTORS CLUB—The 38th regular meeting was held December 14, 1953. The club joined the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association.

Officers for 1954 are:

President: John Pawlaczkyk.

Vice President: Robert E. Lus.

Secretary: George E. Foster.

Treasurer: Don C. Hopkins.

The exhibits were as follows:

John Pittman: Complete set uncirculated peace dollars; five U. S. gold coins, \$1 to \$10; 1934 Vatican 100-lire gold pieces.

—GEORGE E. FOSTER,
Secretary

HANFORD COIN CLUB—On Jan. 9th, the Merced Numismatic Society and the Hanford Coin Club held a joint meeting at Dante's Restaurant in Fresno, Cal. There were 41 members and guest present. Ralph Mitchell officiated as M.C., and installed the officers of 1954 for both clubs. The officers of Hanford for 1954 are:

President: Jess Watts.

Vice President: W. L. Morton.

Secretary-Treasurer: Harold Geyer.

Auctioneer: Forest Speck.

Ralph Mitchell spoke about his recent four month coin and business trip. A very interesting movie, "Scenic America," was shown by President Watts.

—HAROLD GEYER,
Secretary

HARTFORD NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

— At the January 20th meeting the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President: Howard E. Davis.
Vice President: Cyril H. Hawley.
Secretary: Robert B. Gerrish.
Treasurer: Mrs. Vera Schorer.
Curator: Harvey N. Bliss.
Librarian: Carl Barrows.

Meetings are held at the Connecticut Historical Society, 1 Elizabeth Street, Hartford, Connecticut on the third Wednesday of each month.

— ROBERT B. GERRISH,
Secretary

HAWTHORNE COIN CLUB — Meeting

was held December 4, 1953 at the Hawthorne Plant of the Western Electric Co., Cicero, Ill. Pres. S. Spofford presided with 51 members and guests present.

Five new members were accepted. It was reported that the library books were checked and some of the worn ones will be replaced and four new books will be added.

The officers for 1954 are:

President: Scott Spofford.
Vice President: J. Pfeiffer.
Secretary: H. M. Mareska.

Board Members: A. E. Buetler, E. Schultheiss, G. Formella, G. Pirrong.

Awards Chairman M. Kalish presented Participation Certificates to the members that exhibited in the Annual Hobby Show and stated the medals would be engraved and ready at the January meeting. The meeting was concluded with a seventy piece auction.

Exhibits and talks were presented by: G. Formella: A Lady Godiva penny.
H. M. Mareska: Freak coins and die breaks.

— H. M. MARESKA,
Secretary

HAWTHORNE COIN CLUB — Meeting

was held January 8th at the Hawthorne Plant of the Western Electric Co., Cicero, Illinois. Due to Pres. S. Spofford's illness, Vice President J. Pfeiffer presided with 47 members and guests present. Five new members were accepted.

Vice President Pfeiffer presented gold, silver and bronze medals to the winners of the annual hobby show coin exhibits. Perfect attendance awards, gold Czechoslovakia freedom medals, were awarded to the following who attended every meeting in 1953, M. Bezin, G. Bruhl, H. Brucker, H. Brimmer, K. Collins, S. Janiki, H. M. Mareska, M. Kalish, J. Pfeiffer, A. J. Tichy, E. Valach and S. Spofford. A motion was made and carried to continue the Perfect Attendance Awards in 1954.

Changes in the By-Laws were made to allow Officers to take office after the June meeting instead of after the December meeting so their terms will coincide with the fiscal year.

"Coins with Special Significance" were the A.N.A. color slides presented by Paul Igelman. He narrated the showing and also prepared an exhibit of some of the coins shown. An auction concluded the meeting.

— H. M. MARESKA,
Secretary

HEART OF AMERICA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION — Thirteen numismatists

braved a blizzard December 21, 1953, to

attend a most enjoyable coin meeting held at the Elks Club. Richard Johnson gave an interesting report on numismatics back East. Terry Cassidy, home from college, was also present. Thirteen coin collectors exchanged numismatic Christmas gifts, and as a climax of the evening, they enjoyed refreshments of their choice.

— HARRY BOSLEY,
Acting Secretary

HEART OF AMERICA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION — The 222nd meeting was

held at the Elks Club on the 19th of January with the new president, Harry Bosley presiding. There were 15 members and three guests present. New officers for 1954 are:

President: Harry Bosley.
Vice President: Ray Janda.
Treasurer: Vic Hill.
Secretary: Hart Mayer.

Door prizes were adopted and the donors will be: February, Harry Bosley; March, Ray Janda; April, Vic Hill; May, George Paris.

Ray Janda gave an informative talk on the beautiful gem dollars and proof sets which he brought. He also gave each person attending a check list of U. S. coins with record of mintage. These sell for 50c and are worthwhile for anyone interested in coin collecting. Allison Lowe was appointed Chairman of National Coin Week and reappointed district Representative of A.N.A.

— HART D. MAYER,
Secretary

JOPLIN COIN CLUB — Regular meeting

was held at the Lewis Machine Company Building, January 4, 1954. Haskell Trusty, president, called the meeting to order. Jess Johnson and Murry Wilcox were elected to membership. There were 14 members and 16 guests present.

Floyd P. Hazelwood of Salina, Kansas, president of Wichita Coin Club, and A.N.A. representative for Kansas, was guest speaker. His subject was collecting, buying, selling, storing, and preserving coins. He also displayed proofs, mint sets and type gold coins.

Following an auction doughnuts and coffee were served.

— JOHN J. SOHOSKY,
Secretary

LEHIGH VALLEY COIN CLUB — The

155th meeting of the Lehigh Valley Coin Club was held in the Municipal Building in Stroudsburg, Pa., on the evening of December 17, 1953. The club was the guest of the Monroe County Coin Club. A short business meeting preceded the social events of the evening. Forty-five members and guests of our club attended. One new member was elected and three applications for membership were received.

Election of officers was held with the following results:

President: Morgan Strohl.
Vice-president: Alfred M. Kerner.
Secretary: Luther J. Deck.
Assistant Secretary: Curtis Godshalk.
Treasurer: Claude Eckert.
Curator: Ellsworth Lewis.
Auctioneer: Forrest Smith.
Board of Governors: H. N. Shepherd,

Chairman, J. Byron Godshall, Robert H. Ackerman, Arlio P. Reinert, Joe Hauser.

A vote of thanks was extended to

our hosts, Mr. Leslie Drake and Mr. Al Hertz of the Monroe County Coin Club for the entertainment and refreshments. A program of slides of coins of unusual interest and an original quiz contest on U. S. currency followed.

—LUTHER J. DECK,
Secretary

MADISON COIN CLUB—The meeting was called to order by Pres. Earl Clender on January 5, 1954. New officers for the year were elected as follows:

President: Richard McKenzie.
Vice President: Mrs. Whitford.
Treasurer: Dr. C. F. Schroeder.
Secretary: To be appointed by the President.

Clarence Gath displayed numerous cards of foreign and United States coins and currency.

Many coins were traded or sold after adjournment. The formation of a junior club was considered due to the many younger members now in our club, but action was postponed.

—GORDON GILL,
Secretary

MARYLAND NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

—The December meeting was held in the club room of the First Christian Church, Baltimore. There were 37 members and guests present.

Officers for 1954 are:

President: Murray Heiserman.
First Vice President: W. E. Hepting.
Second Vice President: Mrs. J. E. M. Wood.

Secretary: Jerry B. Cohen.

Board of Governors: William F. Perlitz, Linwood Slenbecker, Brent Hughes.

A report of the first board meeting of the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association was given by Melvin Fuld.

Mr. Knabenshuh spoke on \$20.00 gold counterfeits struck by the U.S.S.R. and discussed portions of the book *Crime Without Punishment*. The double eagles, according to the author, were the most clever ever seen and only after most exhaustive scientific tests can they be proved fraudulent.

Tom Bergin exhibited and spoke about the following patterns: AW1661, 1882; AW1259, 1872; AW892, 1870; AW1521, 1877; AW1523, 1877; AW1540, and AW377.

Melvin Fuld displayed magnificently struck Austrian Mint Calendar pieces, 1933 through 1954.

Eleven-year-old Worthing E. Cockey, an unofficial "honorary member," read a paper on Swiss Shooting Medals. He outlined the historical and numismatic background of these pieces and deplored the 22½% duty necessary to get these pieces into this country. He exhibited a fine group of the medals. Following a successful auction, ably handled by Mr. McCormick, the meeting adjourned.

—JERRY B. COHEN,
Secretary

MEMPHIS COIN CLUB—Regular meeting was held December 14, 1953, at which time Lynn Barnard was elected President and W. H. Broderick, Secretary, for 1954. One new member was admitted. On December 21st, we held a special meeting for the visit of A.N.A. General Secretary, Lewis M. Reagan, who gave us a very interesting talk.

—W. H. BRODERICK,
Secretary

MEMPHIS COIN CLUB—A meeting was held January 19, at The Sombro following a dinner which was enjoyed by all.

The robbery of one of our members of a large number in coins was discussed. The loss was partially covered by insurance. It was decided that adequate insurance should be carried by all to take care of such untoward happenings.

Much comment was caused by the increasing prices for desirable coins.

—W. H. BRODERICK,
Secretary

MISSOURI NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OF ST. LOUIS

—The 161st regular meeting held in the Hotel Kings-Way December 14, 1953, was called to order by President Joseph J. Smith. Thirty-eight members and seventeen guests were in attendance.

Attendance prizes were awarded to Edward C. Rochette and Paul Cosgrove. Four new members were admitted: Robert Coates, Edward Fick, Edward C. Rochette and Ronald Wiemann.

The Great Britain coronation proof sets ordered from the Royal Mint by the Secretary were given to those who had ordered them.

Bourse tables were available to members and were well patronized.

Ninety-five fine lots of coins and notes were sold to the highest bidder by Art Kelley.

—W. G. ARNOLD,
Secretary

MONTICELLO COIN CLUB—The 16th meeting was held January 8, 1954, preceded by spots on three local radio stations.

Members and guest enjoyed very much the showing of slides of "U. S. Types—Quarters through Silver Dollars" as furnished by the Visual Education Committee of the A.N.A.

The exhibits were as follows:

Dr. James A. DeLozier: 1835 half dime, 3-cent pieces.

Lionel S. Key: 3 Dollar broken bank note and Confederate notes, 1803 five dollar gold, 1855 8-escudo Mexico (gold), 1915 20-peso Cuba (gold).

—LAURENCE A. DAVIS,
Secretary

NEW JERSEY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

—The Society celebrated its twentieth anniversary on December 10, 1953, at the Hotel Robert Treat, Newark, N. J. A steak dinner was enjoyed by 47 members and guests. Each table had a bouquet of flowers and each lady received a corsage of camellias.

Music during dinner was supplied by an accordionist. Members and guests joined in singing old and popular songs.

President Harry C. Mathews welcomed the members and guests, and introduced Ray Gallo, President of the Bronx Coin Club, Charles Ryan, President of the Brooklyn Coin Club, and Howard D. Gibbs, the speaker of the evening.

The talk by Mr. Gibbs on the history of coins was most interesting and enjoyed by all present. He told of the unusual articles used as money, such as elephant hairs by a tribe in Africa and feathers from a very rare bird on a Pacific island. Mr. Gibbs exhibited specimens of the odd and unusual money which he described and gave a history of it.

Several door prizes, donated by dealers

and members of the club, were handed to lucky winners.

The following are the new officers for the coming year:

President: Willard C. Blaisdell.
Vice President: Arthur H. Mershorn.
Secretary: Anton C. Mayer.
Treasurer: Lewis O. Goodman.

We had a wonderful celebration and are looking forward to our twenty-fifth.

— A. C. MAYER,
Secretary

THE NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB

— The 540th meeting was held December 11, 1953 at No. 2 Park Avenue; Vice President Oscar G. Schilke presided. There were 25 members and guests present.

Mr. Erlanger read a very interesting paper on "The Coins and Medals of Albrecht Durer." A report was made by the Medallic Art Committee.

The officers for 1954 are:

President: Oscar G. Schilke.
Vice President: Vernon L. Brown.
Secretary-Treasurer: E. K. Hessberg.
Exhibits:

Wm. T. Anton: Sixty-two large cents.
B. Babbitt: One real CHAS III 1768.
H. S. Bareford: 1793 and 1794 cents.
W. C. Blaisdell: Cents of 1794 including H27, H40 and H59. Fourteen pieces from Newcomb. Hines, Downing and other collections.

W. Breen: Recent acquisitions. Vermonts: Ryder 10, 16, 26, 29, in exceptional condition. Nova Constellation, 1785 C.4.D. finest known. 1795 G-8 half cent. Cents 1793/8, 1834 N2, 1850 N21.

H. J. Erlanger: Thirty-nine coins and medals relating to Albrecht Durer. Four books showing some of his works.

J. R. Francis: Canadian tokens; Blacksmith, Wood 5, 12, 33; Sloops, McLachlan 3, 17, 20, 23, 24.

R. Gallo: 1793-1794 large cents.
E. K. Hessberg: Chalmers Annapolis shilling, 1793 Cent 14-L, 1793 Cent 9-G.
L. Kusterer: Five Buchanan medals.

R. Margolis: 1887 Jubilee proof set, England; France: pattern 5 franc pieces.
Thos. F. Morris: Sixty-seven proofs; fractional currency.

R. Picker: 1799 \$1, B.22; 1787 Fugio cent, club rays, concave ends; 1804 one-half cent, G7, perfect reverse die.

R. Solomon: Cuban peso 1939.
— E. K. HESSBERG,
Secretary

NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB

— The 541st meeting was held January 8, 1954 at 2 Park Avenue. The President, Oscar G. Schilke, presided. There were 19 members and eight guests present. The guests were Miss D. Paschal, Dr. Blanchard, Dr. Sheldon and Messrs. Anton, Breen, Feldman, Salton and Wass.

Mr. Grunthal delivered a very fine talk on "How to Arrange a General Coin Collection."

The exhibits were as follows:

Wm. T. Anton: Five Fugio cent 1787, large cents 1823 to 1857. New Jersey shillings, Continental currency.

H. S. Bareford: Large cents 1795, 1797, 1796, 1798 (2).

W. C. Blaisdell: 1870-S double eagle vf.
Dr. Julian Blanchard: Die proof of the four-line block of small lettering on the reverse of all the U.S. Federal Reserve notes, signed by the engraver,

Edward M. Weeks, with a notation that it took 100 hours to engrave; also a copy of the book "Letters Analyzed and Spaced," by this engraver (now retired), explaining the system by which

such lettering may be laid out.

C. Clain-Stefanelli: Rare variety of Croton incuse stater (550-480 B.C.) and stater of Tarentum overstruck on Corinthian type stater.

H. J. Erlanger: New Acquisitions: Nuremberg: Laurentius gold guilder 1507, 6 Kreuzer 1620; 1/4 Taler 1636 Brandenburg-Franconia. George Frederick guldentaler 1571, 1/4 Taler 1603 on his death, Christian of Bayreuth 1/4 taler on his death 1655. Chas. Wm. Frederick of Ansbach 1729 1/4 taler on his accession, 5 Deutschmark on 100th anniversary of Germanic Museum in Nuremberg 1952 proof.

E. K. Hessberg: English coins 1953.

A. R. Feldman: Wass, Molitor & Co. \$10.00 small head.

Mrs. Damia Francis: Early merchants tokens, Leverett & Thomas, Van Nostrand & Dwight, James Watson.

R. Gallo: 1795-1799 large cents.

M. F. Kortjohn: Nine coins of Slovakia, five of Somalia and Mexican five peso portraying Hidalgo.

L. Kusterer: Eight Varieties of Free-mount medals.

Thos. F. Morris: \$1.00 legal tender note series of 1874, large seal, Allison and Spinner. \$5.00 legal tender note series of 1874, large seal, Allison and Gilfillan.

Dorothy Paschal: 1795 Early Cents, D-66b, D-68, CN 7 (reeded edge cent).

R. Picker: 1773 Virginia half penny, 1795-1799 Large Cents.

R. Solomon: 1854 \$3 gold.

Mark M. Salton: Medal by Paul van Vianen.

Oscar G. Schilke: Uncut sheet of 1899 silver certificates K13 to K16.

D. Smith: 1798 large cent, S-182, C-42.

Thomas J. Wass III: 1857 half cent, 1857 flying eagle cent, 1857 large cent.

— E. K. HESSBERG,
Secretary

OAK PARK COIN CLUB—The 34th meeting was held November 13, 1953, at the south branch of the Oak Park Library with President Kimball presiding. There were 30 members and guests present.

Elected to membership were Charles Rodenheber, Richard Johnson and Paul Igelman. Since the library closing hour was 9:30 p.m., we suspended further business and held a 41-lot auction.

— E. L. SALISBURY,
Acting Secretary

OAK PARK COIN CLUB—The thirty-fifth meeting was held on December 11, 1953 at the South Branch Library in Oak Park with President W. H. Kimball in the chair. There were 23 members and guests present. Rules and by-laws as amended were adopted.

Applications for membership were received from T. J. Hickey, Jr. and T. J. Hickey III.

Officers for 1954 were elected as follows:

President: Warren Kimball.

Vice President: Clyde Grimm.

Secretary-Treasurer: John Giello.

Exhibits were made by C. Grimm, W. H. Kimball, E. L. Salisbury and others.

— E. L. SALISBURY,
Acting Secretary

OKLAHOMA CITY COIN CLUB—The 170th meeting was held in the Biltmore Hotel Nov. 24, 1953, with 11 members and five guests present, President P. K. Anderson presiding. Mr. and Mrs. F. J.

Wleman were elected to membership. All members are to bring at least one coin for exhibit to future meetings. This should stimulate interest in various branches of numismatics and simultaneously give the members a chance to show their prized coins. Unfortunately, many small collectors feel that no one could possibly be interested in their worn cents or battered crowns forgetting that the brilliant proof collector is actually in the minority and that a nice exhibit of tired dimes showing years of labor will be as kindly received as a beautiful set of proof double eagles. In fact, often more so since the owner of such a collection will allow it to be freely handled. The proof collector seldom lets his coins out of his vault much less allows fellow collectors to drop them on the floor.

Mrs. Wieman also asked that an inquiry be made through *The Numismatist* regarding any information on the number of double-struck mint marks of the San Francisco mint on 1941 and 1943 dimes. If any reader possesses such information, please communicate with the secretary of this club.

D. J. Lhotka gave a short talk on Roman Republican coinage illustrating his remarks with coins from his own collection. Probably the most interesting of these was the denarius commemorating the murder of Julius Caesar on March 15th, 44 B.C. (the Ides of March) having a bust of Brutus on the obverse and a liberty cap between two daggers over the words "EID MAR" on the reverse.

Other exhibits included:

Mrs. Helen Canale: An essentially complete U.S. type set from half-cents to dollars.

P. K. Anderson: A very rare pattern one quarto piece of Gibraltar of 1841.

Mrs. F. J. Wieman: Number of current U.S. coins.

Claude Farwell: U.S. cent of 1853.

Ralph Osborne: Bond issued in 1931 by the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China in Singapore for the sum of \$4.00.

J. Sureck: A series of coronation coins of Elizabeth II including a complete South African proof set, a similar set for Canada, a proof coronation set of British coins, a coronation crown of Southern Rhodesia, and lastly the coronation medals struck by South Africa (the only official ones struck anywhere in the Empire) in gold, silver, and bronze.

— HELEN CANALE,
Secretary

OKLAHOMA CITY COIN CLUB—The 171st regular meeting was held December 22, 1953, at the Biltmore Hotel with eight members and three guests present. Vice President J. F. Lhotka presiding. The Newell Slide Set Number One covering the medals issued by the Friends of the Medallion and the early issues of the American Society of Medalists was shown by Ralph Osborne with Jake Sureck reading the commentary. An auction followed with Mr. Sureck as auctioneer. The evening concluded with our first Christmas party complete with gift grab bag and refreshments.

Exhibits:

Jake Sureck: Two proof medals, one commemorating the 300th year of the founding of New York City and the other honoring the Wright brothers on the 50th anniversary of powered flight.

Ralph Osborne: Bronze star medal is-

sued to D. Dunham during the last war.

John Koberg: Brilliant Maria Theresa thaler recently obtained from Ethiopian bank hoard.

Dr. J. Lhotka: Two bronze nomismata of John II and Manuel I (of the East Roman Empire) in very fine condition and a gold solidus of Leo IV struck in Constantinople about 775 A.D.

— HELEN CANALE,
Secretary

OKLAHOMA CITY COIN CLUB—The 172nd meeting was held at the Biltmore Hotel on Jan. 26th with retiring President P. K. Anderson in the chair.

The following are officers for 1954:

President: Dr. John Lhotka.

Vice President: Jake Sureck.

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Helen Canale.

Board of Directors: P. K. Anderson, Louis Smith, and Harold Zeigler.

Jake Sureck spoke on "freak" U.S. coins. He reviewed the minting process, saying that a "matrix" die is prepared containing the complete design but lacking mint mark and the last two numbers of the date. From this die, "master" dies are prepared having the complete date; these are sent to the various mints. At the different mints "working" dies are prepared and mint marks added. Mr. Sureck noted that the bottom die (the reverse) takes the brunt of the work. "Collars" on the planchets are important in keeping the blanks properly aligned during the actual striking. He then stated that "freaks" fall into three main groups: the "official" type caused by such factors as re-engraving of dies ("date over date" coins are in this category); the "unintentional" mis-strikes usually caused by faulty mechanical processes (double struck coins, clipped coins, die breaks, coins with part of the design obscured by foreign material, such as the "three-legged buffalo"); and "intentional" mis-strikes caused by the human factor (as when a planchet for a dime is passed through a machine striking cents). The talk was illustrated with many examples of rare mis-struck U.S. coins.

Exhibits:

P. K. Anderson: Very rare 4-real piece of Ferdinand and Isabella, Burgos mint.

Helen Canale: A 100 franc chip from the casino at Monte Carlo.

Louis Smith: Two misprinted United States one dollar bills.

Harold Zeigler: Scrip from the famed "101" Ranch including the five and ten "buck" notes.

Jake Sureck: Proof sets for 1953 from Great Britain and New Zealand.

Dr. J. Lhotka: Rare gold nomisma of John Ducas Vatatzes struck in the 13th century at Nicaea.

Ralph Osborne: Four Spanish and 16 Roman bronze pieces including an extremely well preserved Class II barbarous radiate. He also exhibited a nice example of the 1864 "L" Indian Head cent.

— HELEN CANALE,
Secretary

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—36 members and six visitors attended the 454th meeting of the Society at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, December 16, 1953, at which the election of officers for 1954 was held. Officers of 1953 were retained, so the following will serve in 1954:

President: L. G. Lodge.

Vice President: John E. Ohls.

Recording Secretary: Roy Hill.
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Betty T. Duncan.

Treasurer: Paul D. Snedaker.
Board of Governors: Ken. P. Allen, Robert C. Patterson and Erich Werling.

A moment of silence was observed in memory of Mrs. Helen M. Hatch, wife of our honorary member Grant P. Hatch. Mrs. Hatch had attended meetings regularly with her husband.

The following exhibits were presented:
Harry Barnhill: United States paper notes of state banks, etc.

Clifford H. Bloom: English sovereign of William IV.

Al. Crites: Gold of 1800's from Japan and South African proof set, 1953.

Bruno Crossfield: Large size \$5.00 bill recently received in payment for merchandise.

Mrs. Betty T. Duncan: Book of Tennyson's poems with an old clipping in it about an 1856 cent with gold in it.

Rudy Gjurovich: Foreign crowns.
Sidney Haas: Proof coronation set of Elizabeth II, England.

Roy Hill: Souvenir Emperor Norton gold crown notes used in the 1953 Christmas parade in San Francisco and a Crocker First National Bank 1953 Christmas card featuring a \$50.00 pioneer gold slug embossed in natural color.

George F. Hodges: United States and foreign paper money.

Charles V. Kappen: Porcelain coins of Siam and gun money of Ireland.

John E. Ohls: 1953 issues of commemorative coins of various countries.
Earl A. Parker: Two new books, "Coins of the 19th Century" and "Treasury of the World's Coins."

David L. Redfield: Commemorative issues of republic of Austria.

Al. Smith: Barber type quarter, 1902-S, from circulation.

Paul D. Snedaker: Set of Indian head cents.

Wilbur Wildes: United States patterns and some foreign crowns.

— ROY HILL,
Recording Secretary

PHILADELPHIA COIN CLUB—The 222nd regular meeting was held December 15th, 1953, with President Arthur Sipe presiding. Sixty-two members and guests attended the special Christmas party. Four new members were elected.

Hamer B. Cole was appointed M.A.N.A. alternate representative. Howard Street reported on the M.A.N.A. meeting of the board in Washington on Dec. 12. Thirty lots of coins were auctioned for the Ballard-Wismer fund, which supplies funds for the Cheer & Condolence Committee. An exchange of Christmas gifts was arranged by lot. The occasion caused much fun and merriment. Our regular monthly auction sale concluded the evening.

Exhibits were made by:
S. Solomon: Seventy-three large cents, carefully mounted, and 1953 British proof set. (Won vote for best exhibit.)

Francis Contino: Nine trade dollars, many with interesting chop marks; also literature of the Club, news bulletins, and items concerning numismatics in general.

Daniel J. McDonald, Jr.: Early European balance scale for weighing gold coins of various countries.

Arthur Sipe: Chinese sword, made of coins over wooden framework.

— GEORGE MAGEE, JR.,
Secretary

PIKES PEAK COIN CLUB—The regular meeting was held January 4, 1954. The meeting was called to order by President Clark Yowell. New members approved for membership were Kenneth Starr and Lone Eagle.

New officers for 1954 are:

President: Clark Yowell.

Vice President: C. Robert Taylor.

Secretary-Treasurer: Paul Rogers.

Club Representative: Edgar Levy.

C. Robert Taylor was appointed National Coin Week chairman. Participation in Coin Week was approved.

Exhibits:

Edgar Levy: Collection of medals.

Clark Yowell: Ancient coins and trade checks issued by U. S. government used by Alaska Rural Reconstruction Corporation.

C. Robert Taylor: Pattern quarter and pewter continental dollar.

Kenneth Starr and W. Latta Hammersley: Various unusual coins.

Charles Spicknall: Clark, Gruber and Company gold.

— PAUL L. ROGERS,
Secretary

REDWOOD EMPIRE COIN CLUB—The December, 1953, meeting featured the annual Christmas dinner.

New officers for 1954 are:

President: Robert T. Hetland.

Vice President: Clifton C. Cole.

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Alexandra W. Gahwiler.

Historian: Henry T. Wrede.

Ralph Mitchell, Palo Alto, Director of the California State Numismatic Association, gave a report on his recent trip in which he covered 28 states. One thing he stressed was the rapidly rising value of the 1914-D Lincoln Head cent; also the scarcity of many cents East of the Rockies particularly.

Roy Hill, San Francisco, Secretary of the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, gave a brief discussion of its activities. Theodore Reidelbach, outgoing President thanked the Club for their co-operation and extended the Season's Greetings to all. Door prizes were distributed to end an evening of traditional American hospitality.

— ALEXANDRA W. GAHWILER,
Secretary

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—The 914th meeting was held December 1, 1953, at the Museum of Arts and Sciences. President William A. Elston, Jr. presided. There were 30 members and visitors present.

Gordon C. DeLair of Hornell and William McGrath of Rochester were unanimously elected to membership.

The speaker, Robert M. Roecker, was introduced by our program chairman, Mrs. Stella Osterman. He spoke on "The Decimal Series of Canada and Newfoundland." This subject covered all of the series of both Canada and Newfoundland from the earliest dates until the present. He went into great detail on each series, pointing out the rarities and the oddities. The talk was well prepared and the members showed their appreciation for his efforts.

Exhibits:

John J. Pittman: Complete Canada decimal coins, 1853 to 1953 all denominations 1c through \$1, ex. fine, unc., and proof, including the following rarities: 1858, 1870, 1908, 1911 and 1937 proof sets; 1889, 10c unc.; 1921, 5c unc.; 1921,

50c vf.; two of the eight known "dot" cents of 1936; two of the four known "dot" 10c of 1936.

Alphonse A. Kolb: Cast for the R. N. A. Presidential medal of Arnim B. Judd; University of Rochester medal, The Alumni Association award in gold.

Edward A. Gilroy: Two Bryan dollars by the Gorham Manufacturing Co.; three United States dimes of 1945 with large and small mint marks; English sovereign of 1878, Melbourne mint.

George J. Bauer: Four marathon type of Athenian tetradrachm, Sabaen & Himyarite mints, in imitation of the Athens mint, two counterstamps of the Athens mint.

Burdette Nash: Blank raised edge planchet from the Denver mint, found in a roll of cents.

William A. Elston, Jr.: Large Columbian Exposition medal.

— HOWARD F. OSTERMAN,
Secretary

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—The 915th meeting was held December 15, 1953, at the Museum of Arts and Sciences. President William A. Elston, Jr. presided. There were 34 members and visitors present.

It was announced that John J. Pittman was appointed delegate at large in the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association.

Mrs. Stella Osterman presented the speaker, James I. McGowan. His subject was "Silver Certificates." It covered this type of currency from its inception to the present. The changes that were brought about during the term of the bills and the fights over their use were among the interesting parts of the program. Mr. McGowan had a nice display to supplement his talk. He is an ardent collector of paper money of all kinds. His efforts were very much appreciated.

Exhibits:

George J. Bauer: 35 medals in high relief of famous artists and other celebrities.

John J. Pittman: U. S. peace dollars 1921 through 1935 complete set, unc.; Nepal, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, 1/16, and 1/32 mohar gold, Prithvi Bira Bikrama; $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, 1/16 and 1/32 mohar silver; silver, gold and bronze proof set of South Africa 1953.

S. Clark Place: Mexico, one centavo copper, 25, 50 centavos, 1 and 5 pesos silver, 1, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 5 pesos gold.

W. C. Uderitz: Five large size one dollar bills, series of 1899.

W. A. Elston, Jr.: First and second varieties of the 1953 Canadian coinage 1c through \$1.

— HOWARD F. OSTERMAN,
Secretary

ST. PETERSBURG COIN CLUB—The 25th meeting was held November 20, 1953, at the City Museum. There were 17 members and two guests present. President Cunningham called the meeting to order. The application of Roy Pippin was approved.

Mr. Crane of Anaheim, California, spoke briefly about his visit to the "Sunshine City," laughingly remarking that it was on account of the good weather in Florida. Admitting a general interest in coins. It turns out he is a member of the Orange County (Calif.) Coin Club.

President Cunningham displayed a proof Canadian dollar from Webb City. The Treasurer gave his annual report. The following officers were chosen:

President: Leo LeSan.

Vice President: Caryl Carper.

Secretary: Mrs. Catherine A. Carper.

Treasurer: Murray L. Booth.

Curator & Librarian: James R. Thompson.

Mr. Carper was named as Auctioneer. The Club chose the same Board of Governors as last year: Harry M. Mohler, Chairman, Mrs. Roma Baldinger, Joseph H. Press, Jr., C. A. Brownell, William Guild.

A motion that a plaque be presented to the retiring President, Mr. Cunningham, was adopted.

Mr. William Guild displayed slides, including rare pattern coins and counterstruck coins of America.

— CATHERINE A. CARPER,
Secretary

ST. PETERSBURG COIN CLUB—The 26th meeting was held at the City Museum, December 18th, 1953. There were 14 members and two guests present.

Mr. Thompson suggested that we elect an active Board of Governors who would meet regularly and conduct important business of the Club. He also presented retiring President Cunningham with a handsome memorial plaque for his year of service.

There was lengthy discussion of our need for publicity. Both city newspapers will accept, gratis, club notices containing merely the Club name, the time and place of gatherings and perhaps auction notices. Mr. Brett said his first knowledge that there was a Coin Club in this city came through notices printed in the local papers at the inception of the Club. The importance and need for continual publicity are thus illustrated.

An auction was held after adjournment.

— CATHERINE A. CARPER,
Secretary

SALINA COIN CLUB—The December, 1953, meeting was held at St. Faith's House. There were 13 members and six visitors present. Fred Cooley, President of the Oklahoma-Kansas Numismatic Association, Lewis Reagan, General Secretary of the A.N.A., and Ben Myers, Vice President of the Wichita Coin Club, attended from Wichita. Ernest Magby, Roy Saunders and Maxine Huddleburger came from Pratt, Kansas, to attend.

Mr. Cooley discussed plans for the 1954 convention of the Oklahoma-Kansas Numismatic Association to be held in Salina, Kansas, on October 16 and 17, 1954. He also discussed purchasing birth-year proof sets for the children and grandchildren of coin collectors.

Mr. Reagan gave a history of the O-K conventions and proffered the aid of his Wichita office in supplying mailing lists and display cases. This is Mr. Reagan's second visit to the club. He is a very interesting guest. Both he and Mr. Cooley gave the club some valuable suggestions on planning club programs.

Following the meeting an auction was held with Mr. Floyd Hazelwood as auctioneer.

Meetings will be at St. Faith's House, 714 North Ninth, the first and third Mondays of each month. Visitors are welcome.

— VIRGINIA A. DEEBLE,
Secretary

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY COIN CLUB—The 66th meeting was held December 17, 1953, at the municipal

auditorium. The program was well received by the 31 persons attending.

The following officers were elected:

President: John C. Yribarne.

Vice President: Dale Howard.

Secretary: Mrs. Kessler.

Treasurer: Herb Feinberg.

Other officers retain their offices for the coming year.

Don Smyser, a specialized collector of Biblical coins, gave a talk accompanied by the new slides put out by E. R. Halliday. The talk was most interesting and timely at this season. An excellent discussion followed and everyone had an excellent opportunity of learning about Biblical coins. On display were all the coins covered by the slides.

John C. Yribarne, the new President is a coin collector of over 30 years. He is very active in the California State Club, Past President of the Long Beach Club and assisted in organizing the Garden Grove and the Long Beach Clubs. John is a retired builder and has done a great deal of research in early American mints and Biblical coins.

Under the leadership of O. L. Arnold as President the club had a most successful year. There was a large increase in attendance and many new members both in the club and the A.N.A. Outstanding displays were presented at the hobby show, National Orange Show, and National Coin Week, for which the club received second place. New methods of auction door prizes, and directors' meetings were some of the highlights of the year's program.

— A. B. COON,
Secretary

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY COIN CLUB — The 67th regular meeting was held January 21, 1954, at 631 "G" Street, San Bernardino, California. There were thirty-three members and eight guests present. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Eastman were welcomed as new members.

The meeting was called to order by Retiring President Opie Arnold, who invited Dr. Calvert L. Emmons to install the new officers. New officers are:

President: John C. Yribarne.

Vice President: Dale Howard.

Secretary: Mrs. Ernest C. Kessler.

Treasurer: Herb Feinberg.

The new Board of Directors is: Opie Arnold, Bland Hayden, A. B. Coon, Byran G. Burke, and Charles Colver. Dr. Calvert L. Emmons was voted an honorary member of the board.

It was decided to extend courtesy membership cards to all officers of the American Numismatic Association and to the California State Numismatic Association.

Mr. L. L. Brown had charge of the program and gave a very interesting discourse on "Counterfeiting and Restrikes."

There was a drawing for door prizes and a coin auction was held. Refreshments were served before adjournment.

The regular meetings of our club are held on the third Thursday of each month at 631 "G" Street, San Bernardino, California.

— MRS. ERNEST C. KESSLER,
Secretary

SAN DIEGO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY — The 199th meeting was held December 7, 1953, at the Y.M.C.A. with Arthur Vigneault in the chair. There were 62 members and guests present.

Officers elected for 1954 are:
President: Arthur Vigneault.

Vice President: James J. Anderson.

Treasurer: Paul Boltz.

Secretary: Francis S. Jones.

Governor: Eugene P. Cooper.

Librarian-Curator: Atwood L. MacDonald.

Editor-Historian: Thomas W. Ward.

Junior Vice President and Asst. Librarian: Clive Foss.

Honorary European Representative: Spink and Son, Ltd., of London.

Ernest H. Lang, Jr., gave a talk on Zapata and the revolutionary coinage of Mexico. Mr. Lang stated that Zapata was one of the most ruthless and destructive of all the revolutionaries. He tried to erase all forms of Spanish culture and return the country to the Indians. A Christmas party followed with Mr. Vigneault as Santa Claus.

Exhibits:

Ernest H. Lang, Jr.: Specimens of the revolutionary coinage of Mexico.

Irving B. Knickerbocker: Proof sets.

Atwood MacDonald: Queen Elizabeth II coronation set; bus tokens.

Arthur Vigneault: Hawaiian and Chinese silver; German notgeld.

Tom Ward: Imitation Roman coins made by Italian medallists of the Renaissance.

— FRANCIS S. JONES,
Secretary

SAN DIEGO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY —

The 200th meeting was held January 4 in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium. Arthur Vigneault presided with 45 members and guests present. Mr. J. W. Bell became a member.

Mr. Frank P. Hernandez of El Cajon spoke on Crowns of the world. He is recognized by the numismatic world as a leading collector of crowns in the United States. He displayed over a thousand crowns and told many interesting facts about them. He said he has spent 51 years building his collection and has gained priceless knowledge from them.

In honor of our 200th meeting, a special cake, coffee and punch were served by President and Mrs. Arthur Vigneault.

— FRANCIS S. JONES,
Secretary

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY COIN CLUB

— Our 21st regular meeting was called to order December 16, 1953, at the Green Hotel, Pasadena, Calif., by President Paul Weden.

The program consisted of Sam Kabealo asking twenty numismatic questions of a panel composed of Mr. Bolender, Mrs. McCormac, Mr. Williams and Mr. Frey. Mr. McCormac then quizzed the panel and the club members and guests with a group of "quickie" questions with a time limit of one minute for the answer.

Members and guests exchanged numismatic items as Christmas gifts.

Exhibits:

Mr. Bolender: Queen Elizabeth coronation proof set.

Mr. Preston: Five shilling piece of "Suid Afrika"; Queen Elizabeth commemorative medal; five peso commemorative piece of Hidalgo.

Mr. Frey: 1939 brilliant proof set.

— I. NEWTON SANDERS,
Corresponding Secretary

SYRACUSE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION —

The regular monthly meeting was called to order December 18, 1953, by President Warren Hoxie.

The new officers for 1954 are:

President: Gordon Harris.
Vice President: Paul Livingston.
Secretary: Warren Hoxie.
Treasurer: Frank Webster.

The program for January will consist of a paper by Bruce R. Gibbs on "Commemorative Half Dollars" and three-minute talks by each one present on one of his choice coins.

Edward A. Park gave a very informative talk on Fugio Cents, after which we had a short coin auction.

— BRUCE R. GIBBS,
Secretary

TOPEKA COIN CLUB—The regular meeting was held on December 17, 1953, in the Coca-Cola Building with Past President Clark presiding. There were 12 members and four visitors present.

Honorary memberships were voted for Messrs. McCash and Hanson in appreciation of the many courtesies extended to the club. All members participated in a "Quiz" program conducted by Dr. Clark, which afforded many interesting and educational features about our coinage.

In keeping with the Season and with the true Christmas spirit, Mrs. Bush served the club with delicious cookies. Through the generosity of Messrs. McCash and Hanson, we were given the usual free "Cokes." The door prize was drawn by Mrs. Hubbell.

— F. L. SNIDER,
Secretary

TOPEKA COIN CLUB—The regular meeting was held on January 28 in the Coca-Cola Building with Vice President Slingerland presiding, with 22 members and two visitors present.

After disposal of business, Dr. Clark showed Lecture Set No. 13, "Bronze Coins of Roman Emperors."

— F. L. SNIDER,
Secretary

TORONTO COIN CLUB—There were 20 present at the meeting of January the 23rd., held in the Royal York Hotel. Mr. Norman B. Mason occupied the chair.

A visitor at this meeting was an old-time member and one time club secretary, Mr. Ed. Parsons. He was well known in numismatic circles in this district a dozen years ago, and was immediately welcomed back.

The club's entry of exhibits in the Canadian Hobby and Homecraft Show was discussed.

Mr. Robert G. Purdy, the speaker, then gave us firsthand accounts of his contacts with some of Canada's great numismatists whom he knew in and around Montreal fifty years ago. Such men as Breton, McLachlan, Leroux and many others were described as to appearance and habits, and their numismatic endeavors noted along with other highlights of their careers.

A bourse was held at the conclusion of the meeting.

— PETER S. FAVRO,
Secretary

TRENTON NUMISMATIC CLUB—The 23rd monthly meeting was held in conjunction with our second annual dinner January 4, 1953, at Howard Johnson's on the Brunswick Pike. Saul Gilman presided over 35 members and guests. Howard Coss, president-elect, was away in Miami, and could not get back in time for the banquet.

Father Cosmas Korb spoke on a series of coins from Chinese Knife Money, 200

B.C., down to the eighteenth century. Coins were all on display. Many were mentioned in the Bible or portrayed Biblical happenings. Jas. Scott then gave us a slide show. He made these slides from information received from Harmer Cole, and Hance Jaquette of the South Jersey Coin Club. Mr. Scott suggests making the plastic to resemble the color of the metal itself: gold coins on gold colored plastic, etc.

Officers for 1954 are:

President: Howard Coss, re-elected.

Vice President: Jas. Scott.

Treasurer: Carl Storer.

Secretary: Walt. Caines.

Retiring President Saul Gilman was thanked for his fine job during 1953. Our club has come a long way in its second year. We wish to thank the A.N.A., its officers and the many speakers for their help during 1953.

— WALTER R. CAINES,
Secretary

WAYNE COUNTY (OHIO) COIN CLUB

— The annual business meeting was held on December 17, 1953, with President Ernest Spigelmire in the chair. The following officers for 1954 were elected and installed:

President: Robert Jameson, Wooster.

Vice President: Joseph Wald, Rittman.

Secretary: Lyman Tucker, Apple Creek.

Board of Governors: Ellis Camp, Edwin Johnson, Ralph Leisy.

The club's first honorary membership in recognition of his contribution to numismatics was given Edwin Johnson, a charter member. Mr. Johnson will speak on numismatics generally at the January 28 meeting and Zody Miller will talk on copper coins.

— LYMAN TUCKER,
Secretary

WESTCHESTER COUNTY COIN CLUB

— The 232nd meeting was held at the New Rochelle Y.M.C.A. on November 17, 1953. President Barcus occupied the chair and called the meeting to order at 8:30 p.m. The nominating committee reported a slate of officers for the coming year as follows:

President: Len Barcus.

Vice President: Edward Hessberg.

Secretary: Jerome Brill.

Treasurer: Pitt Skipton.

Board of Governors: William Marlatt, Saul Bellus, Walter Tanca, Earl J. Massey.

The question of joining the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association was brought up and discussed, but the vote was against joining. The resignation of W. Wiley Troy was regretfully accepted.

We held our semi-annual fall auction, at the hands of auctioneer Ken Marsden, who was assisted by a smoothly functioning clerical committee. Many bargains were realized, and there is no question but that even at the club level, prices are rising rapidly. There just doesn't seem to be enough coins to go around, which statement has been preached by the old timers for many years.

— WILLIAM PEARSON,
Acting Secretary

WESTCHESTER COUNTY COIN CLUB

— The 234th meeting was held at the New Rochelle Y.M.C.A. on January 19th, 1954. President Barcus was in the chair.

The officers for 1954 were introduced and the balance of the evening was devoted to our sixth annual "anything

but coins" auction and Ladies Night. Almost 200 unusual and interesting lots were sold by our now famous auctioneer Ken Marsden, assisted by Walt Tancza, Edward Hessberg and Wm. Pearson. After the auction, refreshments were served to the 35 members and guests.

— JEROME H. BRILL,
Secretary

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—The 395th meeting was held January 13th with 28 attending. Past President John Gregor opened the meeting, installed the new officers and presented the gavel to the new president, Russel L. Poxon.

The members stood in silence and a page was set aside in memory of our good friend and member Charles W. Randolph who died the last week in December.

Exhibits:

Fredrick T. Brew: Scarce medals of Edward VIII and George VI.

Joseph Lukas: A group of wildman talers, August Herzog, Swiss Bear, Running Horse of Hanover and Leopold the Hogmouth. He gave a humorous talk on "August the Younger of Brunswick-Wolfenbittel-Umlatstein."

Edgar G. Bell: An interesting book in two volumes, *Complete History of Germany, Lives and Reigns of All the Emperors*, by John Savage, 1702.

G. A. Brichford: Korean silver & copper type set; Korean paper money and a restrike medal of 1486, Tiroler Thaler of Austria. He told of his service in the armed forces in Korea and a recent trip to Europe.

Mr. Sawicki: An interesting book, Snowden on *Coins of the World*, 1860 with fine plates in color and a bronze medal of Clementine Sobieski, granddaughter of John III Sobieski, King of Poland. Clementine became the wife of James III, pretender to the throne of Great Britain.

Mr. Jacka: A fine exhibit of 100 pieces, "Odd and Curious Money." Mr. Jacka in the feature talk of the evening showed "boat money" which he traced to ancient civilizations in South America dating back to 500 years after the deluge. He claims that specimens of boat money were found in North and South America and on islands in the Pacific and advanced a theory that civilization spread westward from Central and South America to the islands of the Pacific. His talk was interesting and concise and left us with a desire to hear more soon.

— CLYDE J. DREWING,
Secretary

WILLAMALANE COIN CLUB—The second meeting was called to order on December 6, 1953, by President Charles Speight. President Speight told of joining the A.N.A. and read a letter from Secretary Reagan.

Dwight Gove showed a German coin and metal belt and gave an interesting talk about it.

Al Sorenson explained the auctioning of coins. He also reported on 1954 National Coin Week.

It was decided to hold our meetings the last Sunday of each month.

President Speight told of proper way to hold coins so as not to mar them. Al Sorenson spoke on cleaning and preserving of coins. Mr. Forbis spoke on buying coins, emphasizing it is best to buy good ones.

Members joining at the second meeting

are to be charter members, making 37 charter members.

— BERNEICE N. HAMILTON,
Secretary

WORCESTER COUNTY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—This meeting was the Annual Christmas Party and was held at the Hotel Sheraton on December 11, 1953. There were 58 members and guests present. The evening began with a buffet supper which was followed by the drawing of the attendance prizes. The club presented Mrs. Joseph J. Kittredge with a copper chafing dish for her services as club hostess for the past year.

New officers elected are:

President: Eloise A. Cloues.

Vice President: Elvin W. Eagles.

Treasurer: John J. Kittredge.

Secretary: Mrs. Roger H. Bryant.

We had short messages from Clifford F. Howe and Eloise A. Cloues. Retiring President Howe thanked all the members and committees for their marvelous support during 1953. President Cloues presented Mr. Howe with a pair of cuff links.

The entertainment of the evening was fifteen people from North Grafton who entertained us with delightful songs, dances, and jokes for over an hour. We then had a visit from Santa Claus who distributed Christmas presents to everybody.

— JOHN J. KITTREDGE,
Secretary

WORCESTER COUNTY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The January 8th meeting was held at the Worcester Historical Building, with Miss Eloise Cloues presiding. In spite of the cold, about fifty members and guests attended.

A highlight of the evening was a presentation by the club president of a Bullock Medal to Chandler Bullock, grandson of Alexander Bullock, one-time Mayor of Worcester and governor of Massachusetts. The medals were struck between 1859 and 1868 for worthy high school students. Only three are known. Mr. Bullock was also presented an honorary membership in the Society for 1954.

Charles Dupont gave an informal talk on early American coins, covering foreign coins in the colonies, pieces of eight, state coins, large and small cents. Many coins did not leave the banks for years, accounting for the good condition of many of them.

A small auction was held and door prizes given.

— FLORA H. BRYANT,
Secretary

YOUNGSTOWN NUMISMATIC CLUB—The meeting was held in the Y.M.C.A., Youngstown, Ohio, January 7th with an attendance of 26 members. Vice President Howard E. Mathay took charge of the meeting, and recognition was made of the death on December 29, 1953, of our friend and club member, Charles W. Randolph. Mr. Randolph's genial personality and deep numismatic interest and his great activity in the club will be greatly missed by all of us.

A showing of Newell Slide Set No. 18, "Odds and Ends of Coinage, Spurious and Real," was given and aroused a great deal of interest. A discussion concerning a number of the items presented in the showing followed.

— JACKSON B. MOODY,
Secretary



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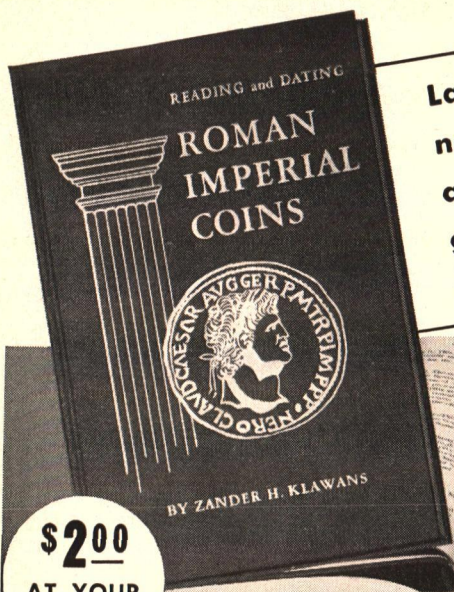
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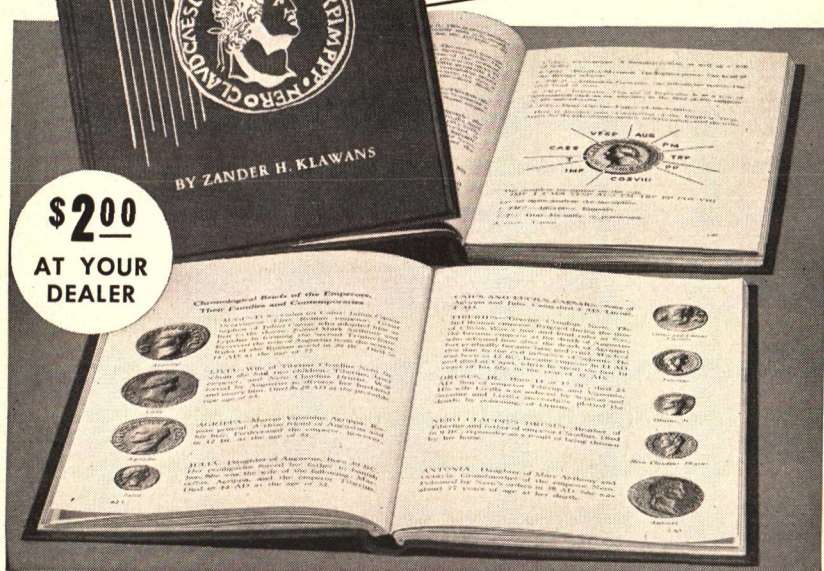
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ANCIENT GREEK COINS

Principal Standards and Denominations

ÆGINETIC STANDARD – the most diffuse standard during the 7th-5th Centuries B.C. in Greece proper and Islands. (Stater of 12 to 12.60 grams).

1. **Stater.** Aegina. 650-600 B.C. Sea-turtle. Rev. Incuse square divided into triangular compartments. F\$ 20.00
2. Boeotia. 338-315. Boeotian shield. Rev. Amphora, above bunch of grapes. SNG.168. F-VF 12.50
3. Sicyon. 400-323. Chimaera prowling l. Rev. Dove flying l., within olive wreath. Grose 218.30. F-VF 14.50
4. Tyllisus (Creta). 400-300. Hd. of Hera r. with stephanos. Rev. Apollo standing l. holding hd. of goat and bow. RR F 45.00
5. **Drachm.** Aegina. 404-350. Land-tortoise. F-VF 14.00
6. Larissa. (Thessaly). 400-344. Hd. of Larissa facing. Rev. Horse r. feeding. VF-F 14.00
7. Istros (Danubian District). After 350 B.C. Two male heads full face, one inverted. Rev. Sea eagle on dolphin. Pick 416. VF 16.00
8. **Hemidrachm.** Aegina. 404-350. Land tortoise. VG 4.00
9. Larissa. Before 450 B.C. Youth r. holding forepart of bull. Rev. Forepart of horse l. VF-F 12.00
10. Hermione. (Peloponnesus). 350-322. Hd. of Demeter l. Rev. Monogram within corn wreath. VF 7.50
11. Elis. 271-191. Laureate hd. of Zeus r. Rev. Fulmen within wreath. BMC.Pl.15.12. F 6.00
12. **Diobol.** Sicyon. 400-323. Chimaera l. Rev. Dove l. within olive wreath. VF-F R 5.00
13. **Obol.** Locri Opuntii. 387-339. Amphora. Rev. Star. EF-VF 5.50
14. Tanagra (Boeotia) 456-446. Shield. Rev. Forepart of horse. VF 5.00

EUBOIC-ATTIC STANDARD. This became the most popular standard of the ancient world after being adopted by Alexander the Great. It had the greatest variety of all denominations both in gold and in silver. (Drachm of "4.366g".)

15. **Gold Stater.** Philip II of Macedon. 359-336. Head of Apollo r. Rev. Biga galloping r., below, cantharus. Superb 125.00
16. Alexander the Great. Stater struck at Lampsakos 330-302 B.C. Hd. of Athena r. Rev. Nike l. Symbol winged horse. M.611. EF Scarce 75.00
17. $\frac{1}{4}$ **Gold Stater.** Philip II of Macedon. Hd. of Herakles, r. Rev. Trident. EF Rare 55.00
18. **Decadrachm.** Syracuse. 413-400. Signed by Euainetos. Quadriga l., Nike r. crowning charioteer; in ex.arms. Rv. Head of Persephone l., surrounded by four dolphins. Gallatin CIX-RIV. Superb specimen 1100.00
19. Another specimen F 165.00
20. **Tetradrachm.** Athens. Late 5th Cent. B.C. Head of Athena r. Rev. Owl facing, crescent and olive spray. VF 8.00
21. Alexander the Great. (Amphipolis mint). Hd. of Herakles. Rev. Zeus seated l., symbol amphora. VF 12.50
22. Aetolia. 279-268. Hd. of Herakles r. Rev. Aetolia seated on pile of Gaulish shields. VF, sharp. RR 135.00
23. Gela (Sicily) before 466. Quadriga crowned by Nike. Rev. Forepart of manheaded bull. Rizzo Pl.17.7. Superb specimen of late archaic style. Rare 110.00
24. **Didrachm.** Thasos. 463-411. Satyr carrying off Nymph. Rev. Quadripartite incuse square. F 20.00
25. **Drachm.** Chalcis. (Euboea) 369-336. Female hd. r. Rev. Eagle flying r. with snake in beak. VF 10.00
26. **Tetrobol.** Histiaea (Euboea) 197-146. Hd. of Maenad r. Rev. Histiaea seated on stern of vessel. F 3.50
27. Macedon, autonomous issue 185-178. Hd. of Maenad r. Rev. Prow of vessel. VF/EF 7.00
28. **Triobol.** Athens. 5th Cent. B.C. Hd. of Athena r. Rev. Owl, facing, between sprays of olive. F Scarce 7.00
29. **Obol.** Magnesia ad Meandrum. (Ionia). 350-300. Helmeted hd. of Athena. r. Rev. Trident, within meandre. Beautiful and rare 8.00

CORINTHIAN STANDARD, popular in Corinth and its Colonies. Stater of "8.73g" divided into three drachms.

30. **Stater.** Corinth. 350-338. Pegasus l. Rev. Helmeted hd. of Athena r., behind prow. BMC.XI.8. VF/EF 8.00
31. Locri. (Italy) 350-332. Similar types. EF RR 28.00
32. **Drachm.** Corinth. 350-338. Hd. of Nymph Peirene l. Rev. Pegasus l. BMC.X.12. F 5.00
33. **Hemidrachm.** Corinth. 400-350. Hd. of Nymph r. Rev. Forepart of Pegasus l. F 5.00
34. **Diobol.** Corinth. 431-400. Pegasus flying l. Rev. Pegasus prancing to the front. BMC.II.26. E Scarce 3.50

PERSIC STANDARD. Main standard of the Eastern part of the Ancient World, spreading also into Thrace etc. (Stater of "11.20g".)

35. **Siglos.** Persia. Artaxerxes III Ochus. 359-338. The Great King in kneeling-running attitude, draws bow. Rev. Oblong incuse. VF 7.75

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36. Stater. Caunus (Caria). 6th Cent. B.C. Forepart of lion l. Rev. Divided incuse. Grose 296.1. EF but off centre. R.	\$ 35.00
37. Aspendus (Pamphylia). 500-400. Helmeted warrior r. Rev. Triskeles of human legs. F R	18.00
38. 4th Cent. B.C. Two wrestlers. Rv. Slinger r. in front, triskeles. EF-VF ..	20.00
39. Cilicia. Satrap Datames. 378-372. Female hd. facing. Rev. Helmeted hd. of warrior. Superb	30.00
40. Drachm. Lampsakos (Mysia) ca.480 B.C. Janiform female hd. Rev. Helmeted hd. of Athena l. within incuse square Bab.Traite 170-25. F Rare	18.00
41. Reduced Persic Drachm. Abdera (Thrace). 400-390. Griffin recumbent l. Rev. Hd. of Apollo within linear square. Strack 172.2. F	6.50
42. Hemidrachm. Parium (Mysia) ca.500 B.C. Archaic Gorgoneion. Rv. Cruciform pattern in incuse square. Grose 263.4. F Scarce	5.50
43. Cius (Bithynia). 330-302. Hd. of Apollo. Rev. Prow of vessel. Grose 254.17. EF	7.00
PHOENICIAN STANDARD. Temporarily adopted in Phoenicia, Judaea, Egypt, Zeugitana, etc. (Tetradrachm of "14.55g".)	
44. Gold Octodrachm. Egypt. Ptolemy II Philadelphus. 285-246. Jugate heads of Ptolemy II and Arsinoe II. Rev. Jugate heads of Ptolemy I and Berenice. Svoronos 89,603. EF	260.00
45. Double Shekel. Phoenicia. Straton II 342-333. War-galley l. on waves. Rev. King in car and attendants. BMC.20,7. F	32.00
46. Tetradrachm. Philip II of Macedon. Hd. of Zeus r. Rev. Boy-rider holding palm, below horse, torch. Grose 122.3. EF	35.00
47. Egypt. Ptolemy X. 116-80. (Paphos mint, 109 B.C.) Hd. of Ptolemy r. Rev. Eagle on thunderbolt. F	4.50
48. Stater. Tyre (Phoenicia) 400-332. Thick stater. Melqarth riding on hypocamp. Rv. Owl facing. BMC.14var. F	15.00
49. Tetrobol. Acanthus (Macedon). 424-400. Forepart of bull, hd. reverted. Rev. Quadripartite incuse square. VF	9.00
50. Trihemibol. Sidon (Phoenicia) Euagoras II 349-346. King and lion. Rev. Galley. Bab.Tr.121,2. F	4.00

LOCAL STANDARDS OF THE EAST MILESIAN STANDARD

51. Electron Trite. Milet (Ionia) 6th Cent. B.C. Hd. of lion r. Rev. Divided incuse oblong. Bab.Tr.I.43. F	35.00
52. Electron Hemihekte. (1/12 Stater) Milet. Similar types. Bab.Tr.I.48. F-VF Rare	30.00
53. Stater. Clazomene (Ionia). 545-494. Forepart of winged boar r. Rev. Quadripartite incuse. VF Rare	25.00

CHIAN STANDARD

54. Didrachm. Chios. 545-500 B.C. Winged Sphinx seated l., in front amphora. Rev. Quadripartite incuse square. VF	20.00
55. Drachm. Calchedon (Bithynia). 411-394. Bull l. Rev. Incuse mill sale pattern. VF-EF	8.00

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56. Tetradrachm. Ephesus (Ionia). 4th Cent. B.C. Bee. Rev. Forepart of stag. F	15.00
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60. Tetrobol. Chnidos (Caria). 300-190. Hd. of Artemis r. Rev. Tripod. VF ..	5.00

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61. Tetradrachm. Samos. 494-480. Lion scalp. Rev. Wheel above hd. of bull r. F/G RR	30.00
62. Drachm. Samos. Before 494 B.C. Forepart of winged boar. Rev. Lion's scalp facing, in incuse square. Grose 292.15. VF RR	16.00

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64. Stater. Metapontum. 550-480. Incuse stater. Ear of barley. Rev. Same incuse. Noe 133. VF/EF	25.00
65. Sixth or Diobol. Metapontum. 550-480. Ear of barley. Rev. Incuse bucranium. Noe.264. VF/EF	9.00

ITALIC TARENTINE STANDARD

66. Stater or Nomos. Tarent. 281-272. The Dioscuri cantering l. Rev. Taras on dolphin over waves. Vlasto 775. VF Rare	20.00
67. Velia (Lucania) Ca.470. Hd. of fountain nymph, Vella, of late archaic style. Rev. Lion, above owl. VF-EF	30.00
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1854 V.F.	23.50	1860 V.F.	23.50	1878 Unc.	30.00

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1834 X.F.	\$20.00	1886-S Fine	\$12.50	1901-S V.F.	\$13.00
1835 Br. Unc.	30.00	1893 V.F.	12.50	1908 Fine	12.00
1837 V.F.	15.00	1899 V.F.	12.50	1909-D Unc.	14.00
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1881 Fine	21.50	1901-S V.F.	22.00		

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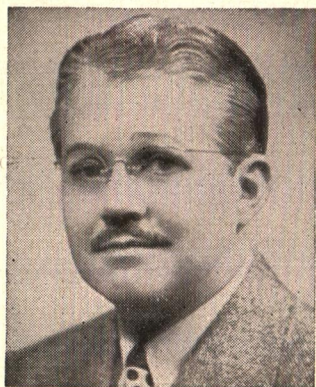
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1892,	93	Abt. unc. Columbia85
1893		Columbia unc.	1.45
1921		Missouri Pl. Ex. F.	27.00
1921		Alabama Pl. Unc.	16.50
1921		Alabama Pl. Abt. U.	12.75
1921		Alabama 2x2 F.-V.F.	11.75
1922		Grant Pl. Abt. unc.	4.75
1936-P,	37-P	Boone unc.	2.75
1938		Oregon set unc.	12.50
1946		B. T. W. set unc.	3.50
1946		B. T. W. single	1.35

CHOICE TYPE HALVES

1807		Heraldic Eagle Ex. F.	8.50
1809		Abt. unc. Mint luster	5.75
1834		Br. gem. Unc.	4.50
1837		Ex. fine 50 Cents	5.25
1839		V. fine 1838-O type	4.75
1840		Ex. fine, scarce	5.75
1847-O		Abt. unc., choice	4.25
1853		Unc. Rays	8.75
1854		Unc. No rays	5.75
1858		Abt. unc., luster	3.75
1869		Ex. F. Motto	3.85
1873		V.F. Arrows. V. sc.	8.75
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1917		Br. gem. unc. Sharp high struck coin	5.50

OTHER HALVES

1833,	56,	57,	61	V. Gd. Ea.90
1863-S	66,	75-S,	76	V. Gd. Ea.	1.10
1897		Fine 2.25;	1899	Abt. F. ....	.90
1900		V. fine			2.50
1901-S		Good V. Rare			2.75
1902,	07	Fine 1906-D	V. F.		1.25
1903-S	F.-V.	fine V. scarce			3.85
1908-D,	1908-O	V. fine			1.75
1909		F.-V.F.; 1912-D	V. fine ....		.90
1911-D	V. F.	14-S Fine			1.75
1909,	1912	Ex. fine			1.95
1915-S		V. fine			1.85
1917-P	V. F.	.85; Br. unc.			4.25
1936		Unc.			1.45
1945-S,	48-P	Unc. Special ....			.85

QUARTERS

1857,	75,	91,	91-S	Gd.-V. gd. ....	.75
1876		V. fine			1.45
1893-O	V. Gd.	1894-S	Good, Ea.		1.35
1893-S,	94-O	Good. Ea.			1.65
1909-D,	09	F.-V.F. Ea. ....			.65
1909		Unc.			3.50
1914-D	V. F.	1915-P	Ex. F.		1.25
1916-D	V. F.	.75 Unc.			3.10
1917		Type 1 V. Gd.85
1920,	23	V. Fine, Each			1.35

QUARTERS, Cont.

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1925 Abt. unc.	1.50
1926-S Fine rare	1.75
1928-S 28 Each	1.50
1928 Ex. fine, special80
1930 Ex. F. .65; 1930-S A. U.	1.25
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1936, 37, 38 Unc.	1.65
1937-D Unc. 1.50; 1938-S unc.	2.25

NICKELS

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1883 N. C. E.F. .25; 1892; E.F.	1.50
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1862	Ex. fine, Sharp65
1862	Ex. F., Abt. unc. Sharp55
1864	Bronze, V. fine	1.50
1864-L	V. fine, pitted	3.25
1871	V. good, mar on face	1.85
1877	Abt. good, sharp date	7.25
1877	Very good	11.00
1881,	82 Abt. unc.	1.00
1882	Unc. 2.25; proof	2.90
1887,	93 Unc.	1.50
1896,	98 Unc.	2.25
1899	Proof	4.25
1879,	80, 83 F.-V.F. ....	.50
1885	V. good50
1890,	91 V.F. .40; 1893 Ex.F.60
1899	Unc. dark	1.60
1908	Br. Unc. Special	1.00

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1916-S Unc.	4.25	1921-S V.F.	4.00	1919-D V.F.25
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1916-S X.F.	2.00	1922-D Unc.	2.90	1929-S A.U.25
1916-S V.F.	1.60	1922-D A.U.	1.75	1930 Unc.25
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1917-D A.U.	2.00	1923-S A.U.	12.50	1931 Unc.	1.50
1917-D X.F.	1.40	1923-S V.F.	4.00	1931-D Unc.	3.50
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1918-S A.U.	3.75	1925-S X.F.	2.90	hard making diam.	
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1919-D X.F.	1.00	1926-S A.U.	5.00	1865 A.U.	1.50
1919-D V.F.80	1926-S X.F.	3.00	1865 X.F.	1.20
1919-S Unc.	1.50	1926-S V.F.	2.50	1866 A.U.	5.00
1919-S A.U.	1.25	1927 Unc.50	1866 X.F.	3.00
1919-S X.F.90	1927-D Unc.	2.50	1866 V.F.	2.10
1920 Unc.45	1927-D A.U.	1.25	1867 Unc.	5.00
1920-D Unc.	3.00	1927-S Unc.	6.50	1867 A.U.	3.50
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14-S, 15-S, 22-D	.15	.40	.75
11-D, 12-D, 13-D	.15	.40	.75
1914-D	3.50	5.00	8.50
1921-S, 23-S, 24-S	.15	.30	.50
1924-D	.50	.75	1.00
1926-S, 31-D, 33-D	.15	.30	.50
All the others	.05	.15	.25

LIBERTY NICKELS

	G	VG	F	VF
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83C, 84, 87, 88, 94	.75	1.00	1.75	2.50
1885	8.50	9.75	12.95	16.95
1886	2.75	3.75	4.95	6.75
1889 through 1900	.50	.75	1.25	1.50
1901 through 1912	.15	.25	.50	
1912-S	2.50	3.50	5.50	7.50

BUFFALO NICKELS

	G	VG	F	VF
1913-P T1 or 2	.15	.25	.50	
14-P to 27-P	.10	.20	.30	.50
13-D T1 Fr	.15	.25	.75	1.50
13-S T1 Fr	.25	.50	1.25	2.50
13-D T2 Fr	.50	1.25	2.50	4.95
13-S T2 Fr	1.50	3.95	6.95	15.00
14-D Fr	.25	1.00	1.50	4.50
15-S, 17-S Fr	.25	.65	.85	1.75
14-S, 21-S Fr	.25	.65	.85	1.75
24-S, 26-S Fr	.25	.65	.85	1.75
15-D, 16-D-S	.50	.75	1.50	2.95
17-D, 18-D-S	.50	.75	1.50	1.95
19-D-S, 20-D-S	.50	.75	1.50	1.95
23-S, 24-D, 27-D-S	.25	.50	.75	1.50
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92-S, 94-O, 95-P-S	4.00	5.00	7.50
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10-S, 11-S, 13-S, 15-S	.50	.75	1.50
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	G	VG	F	VF
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17-D-S T1	.75	1.25	2.00	2.75
17 T2, 18-P-D	.75	1.25	2.00	2.75
17-D-S T2, 1919-P	1.25	2.00	3.00	4.50
1919-D-S AU \$20	2.50	3.50	5.50	15.00
1920-D AU \$20	3.50	5.00	7.50	15.00
1921	2.50	5.00	7.50	15.00
20, 23, 24 AU 2.50	.50	.75	1.00	1.75
1923-S AU 17.50	5.50	8.00	12.50	15.00
24-D, 24-S	1.00	1.75	2.50	3.00
All others	.50	.75	1.00	2.00
W.Q. 1932-D-S	1.00	1.50	2.50	5.00
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W.Q. All the others	.50	.75	1.50	1.00

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	G	VG	F
1892-S, 1901-O, 1909-O	2.50	3.75	7.50
1892-O, 93-O-S, 94-O	1.00	1.50	3.00
1895-O-S, 96-O, 97-O, 98-O-S	1.00	1.50	3.00
1896-S	12.50	17.50	25.00
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94-O-S, 95-O-S, 96-P, 98-O-S	1.50	2.50	3.50
99-O-S, 00-O-S, 01-O, 04-S	1.50	2.50	3.50
01-S, 13-P, 14-P, 15-P	2.50	3.00	5.00
02-S, 03-S, 05PO	1.50	2.50	3.50
09-O, 10-P, 11-DS, 12-DS, 13-D	1.50	2.50	3.50
1916-S Obv., 17-S Obv.	2.50	3.50	5.00
1917-D Obv., 1917-DS Rev.	1.50	2.50	3.50
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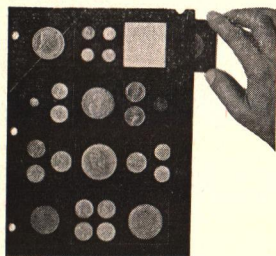
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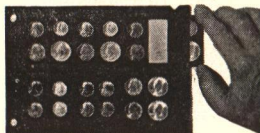
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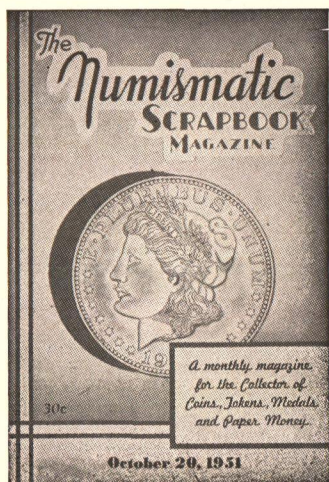
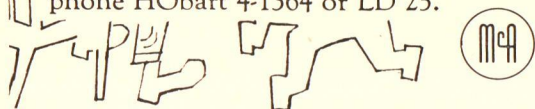


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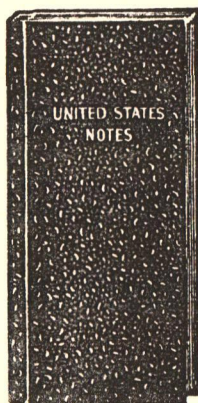
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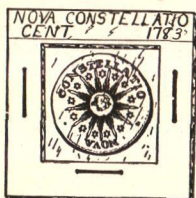
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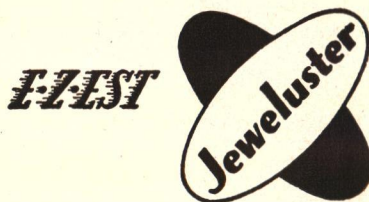
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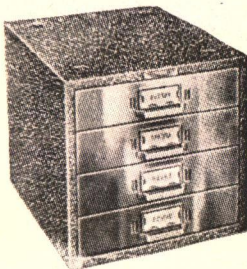
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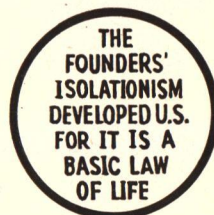
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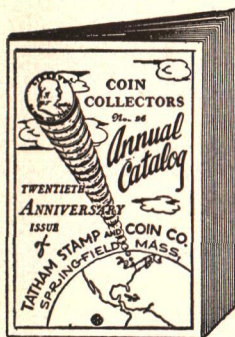
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